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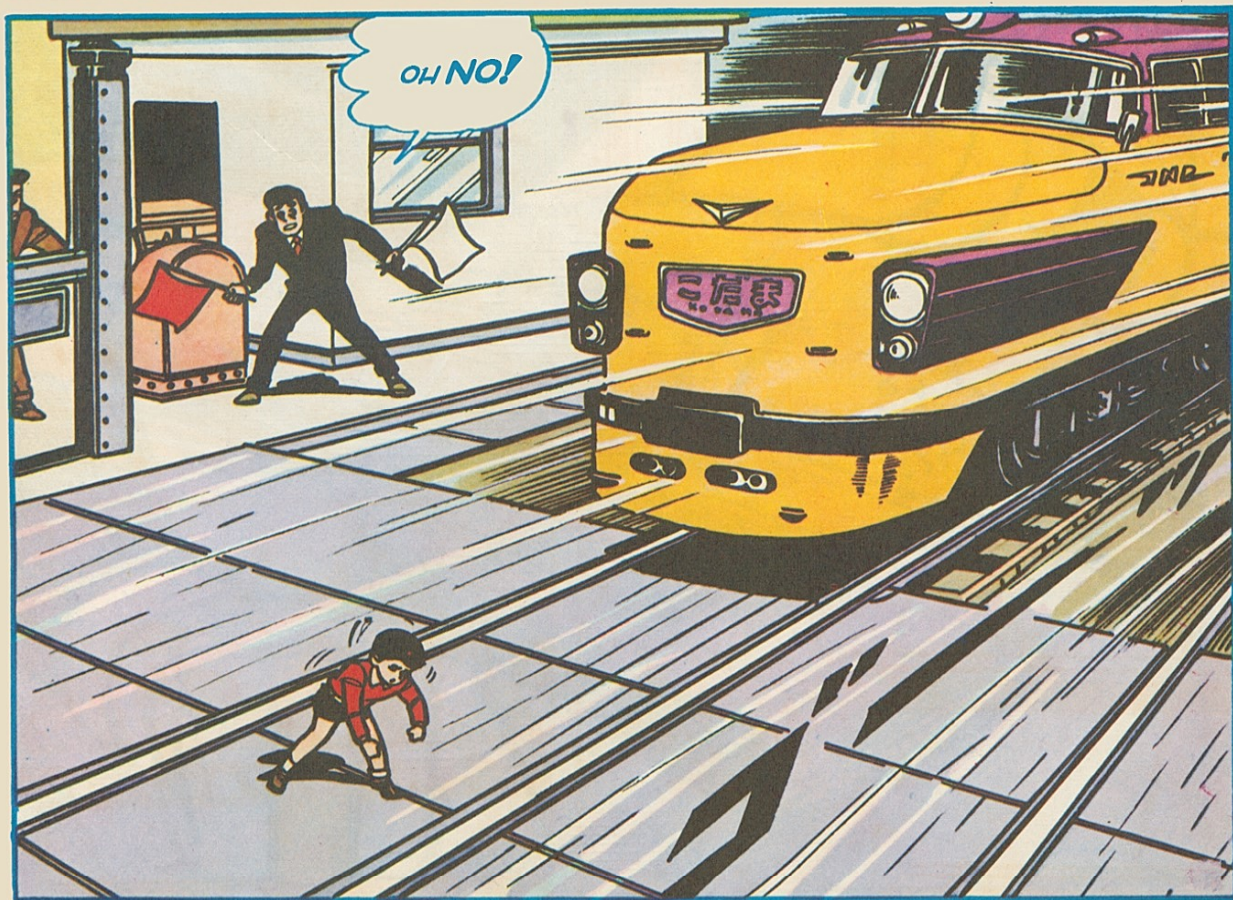
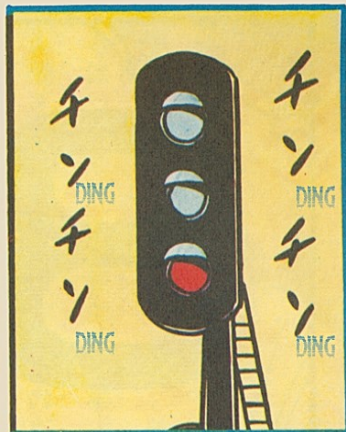
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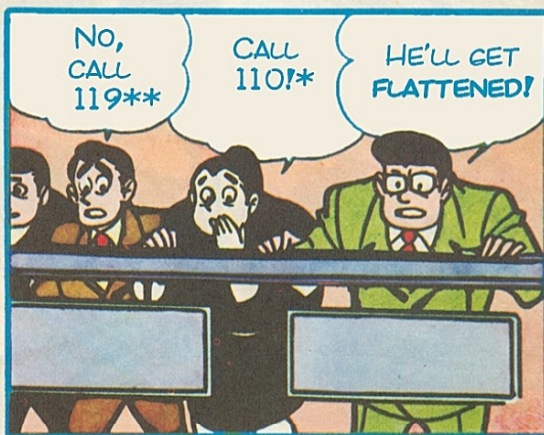
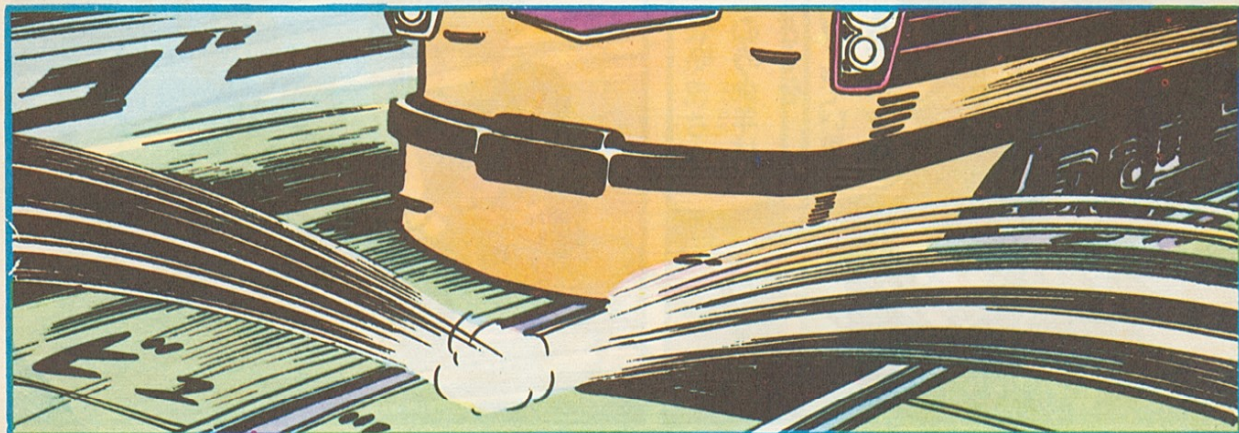
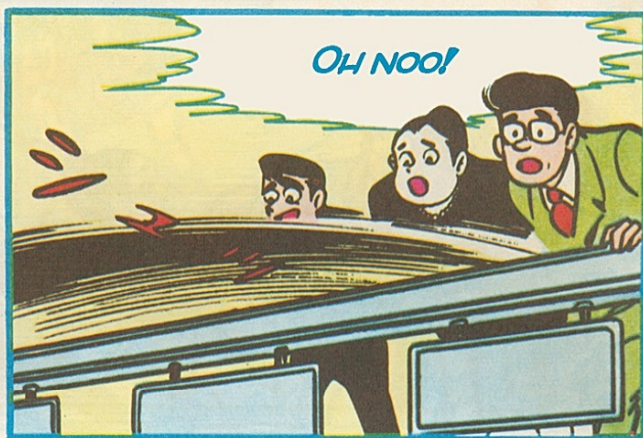
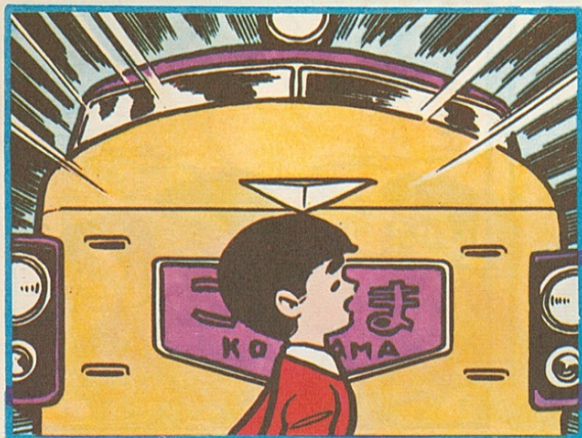


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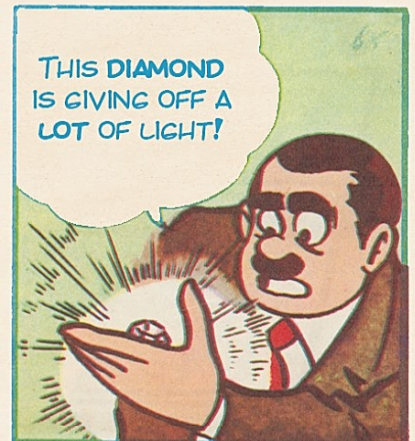
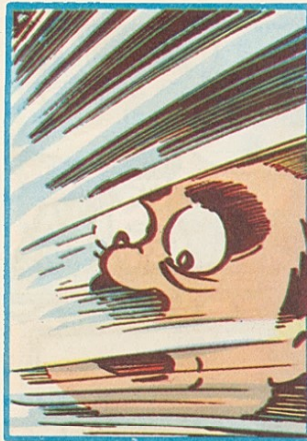
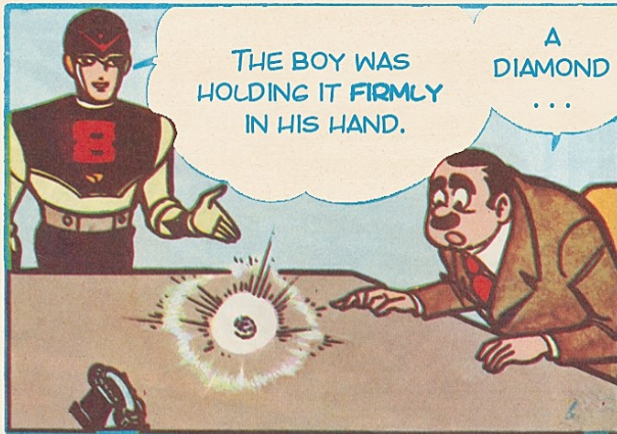
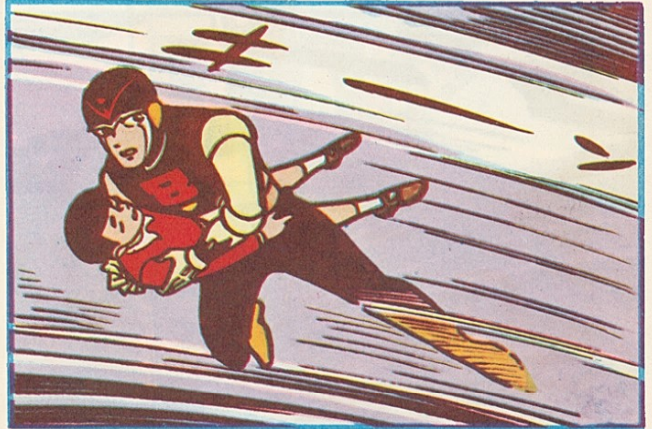
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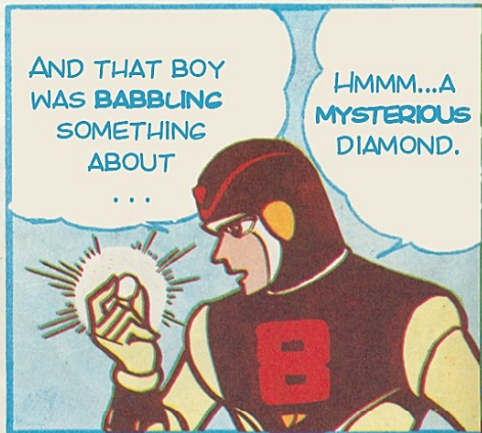
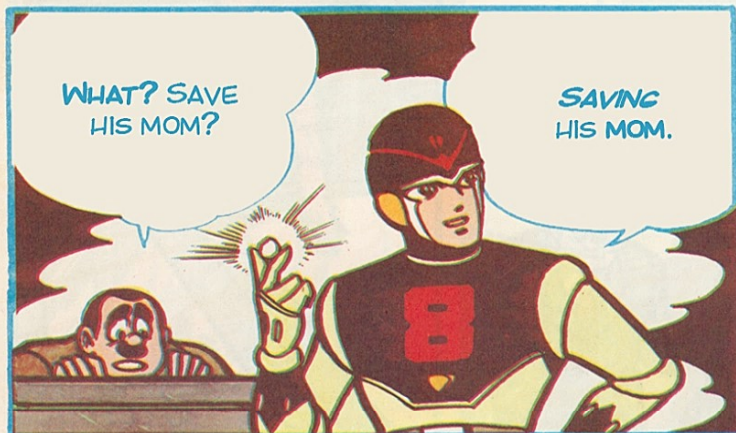


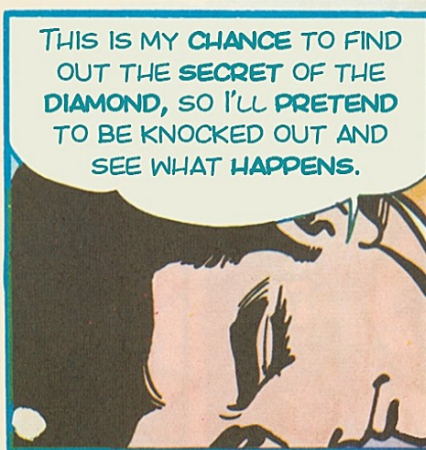
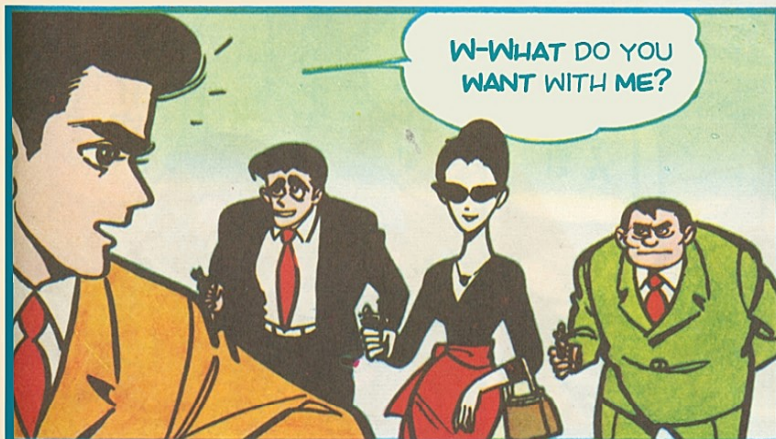


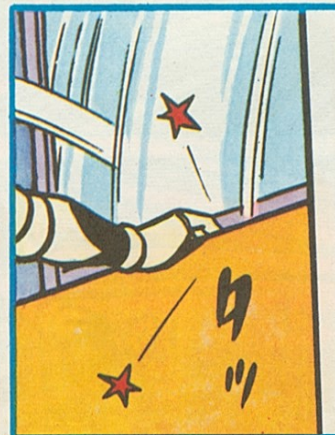
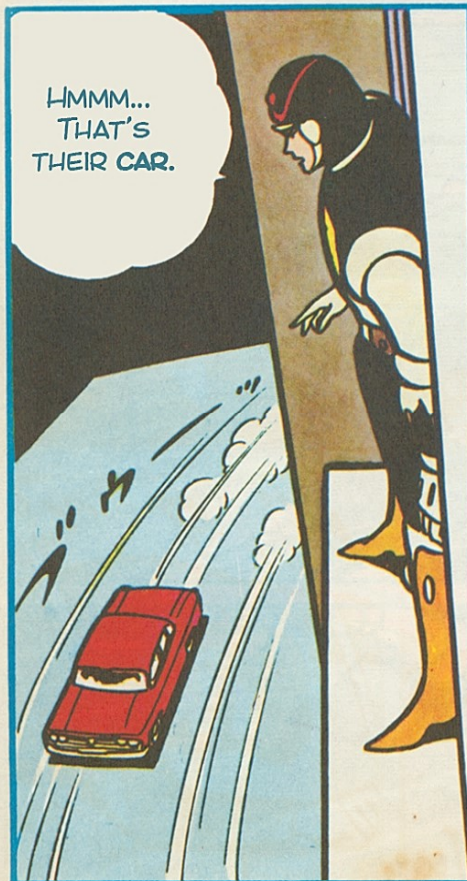
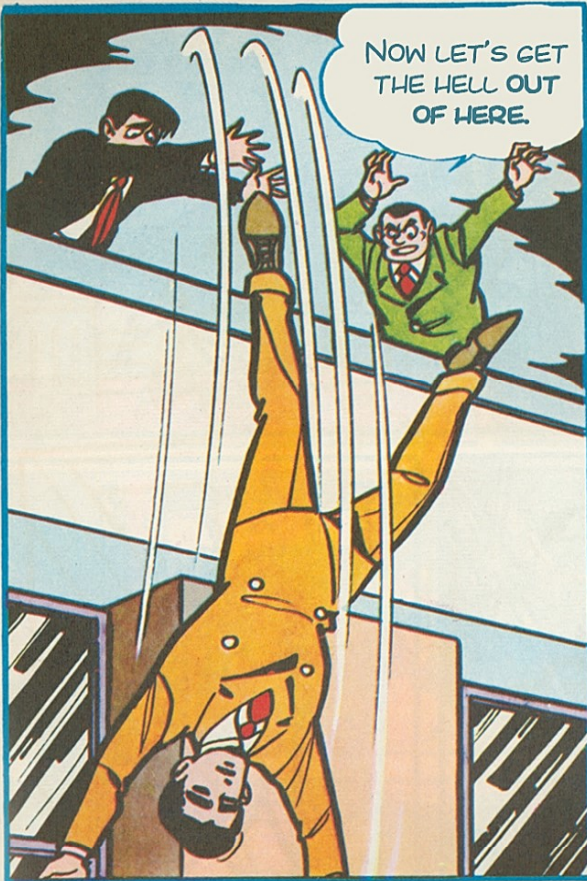


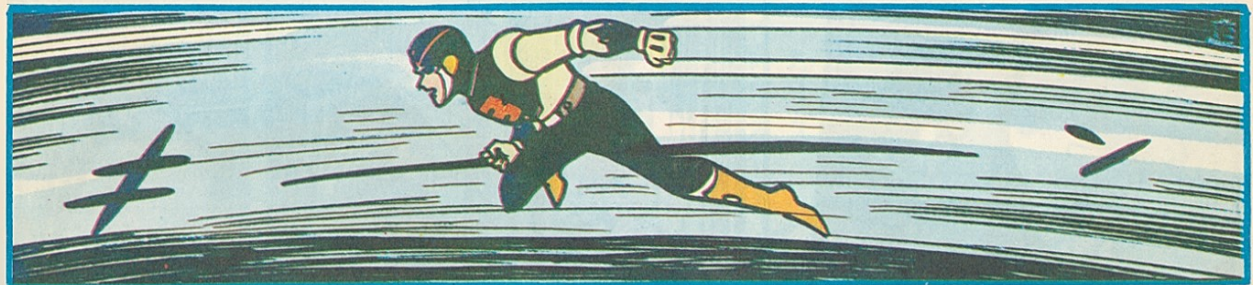
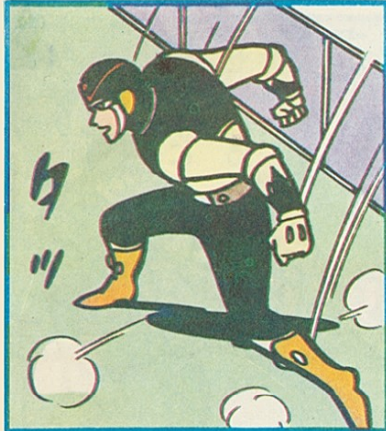
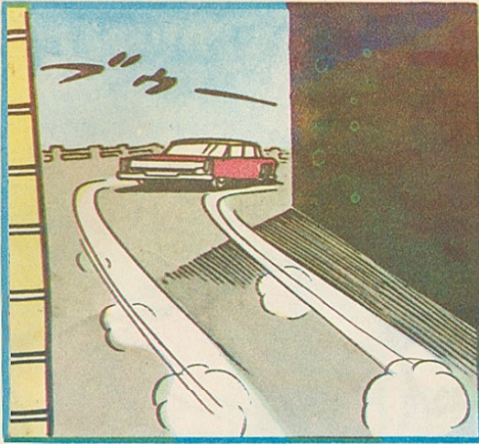
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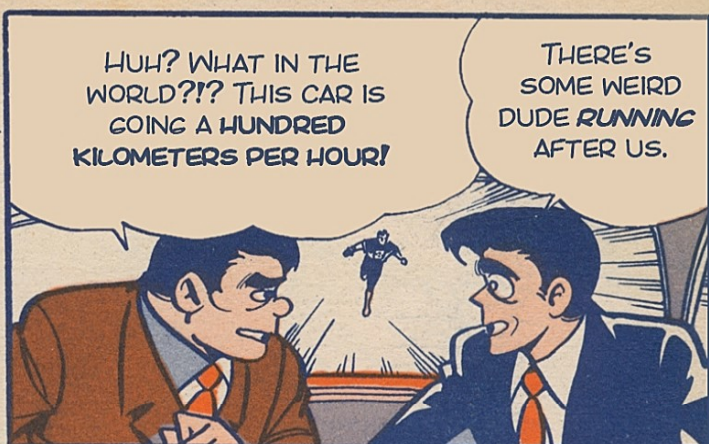


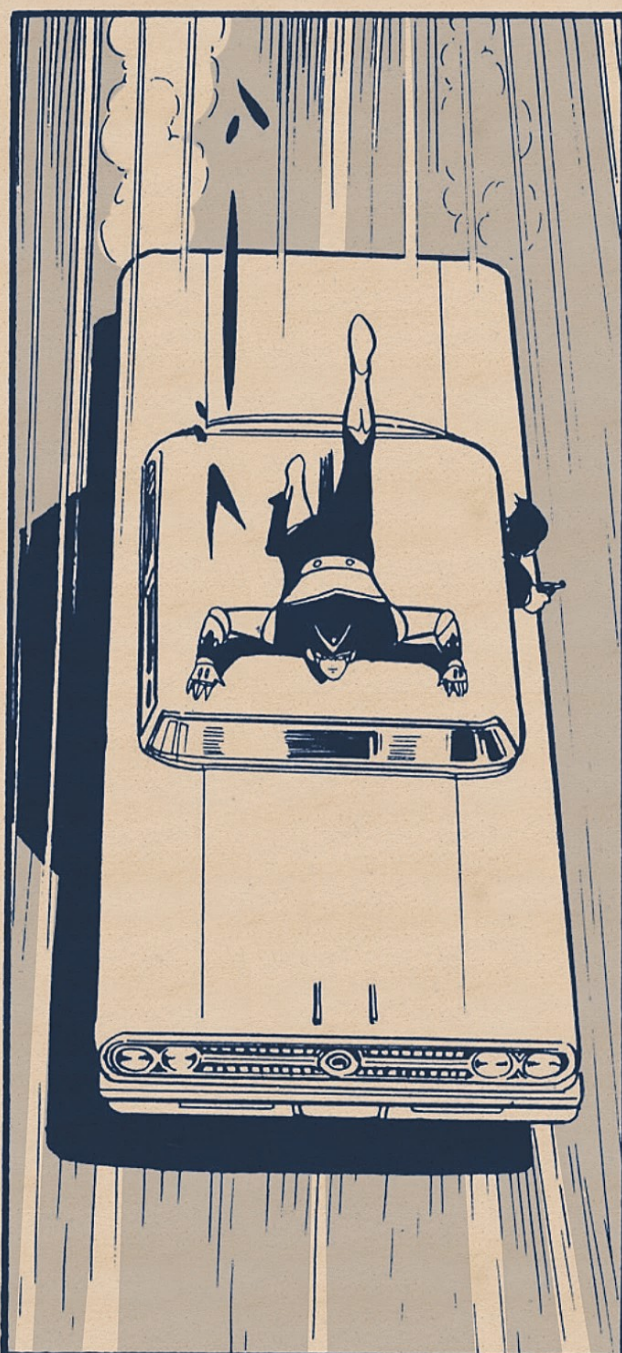
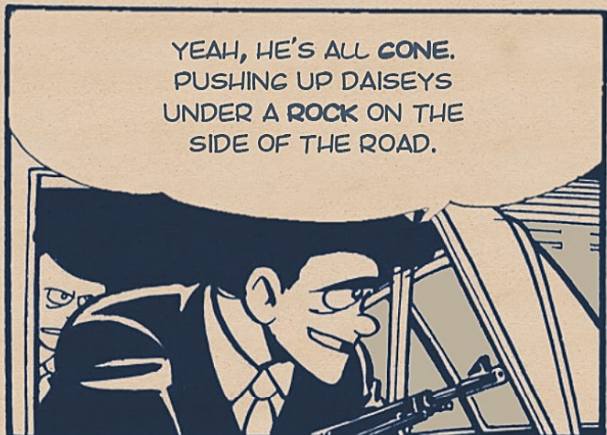
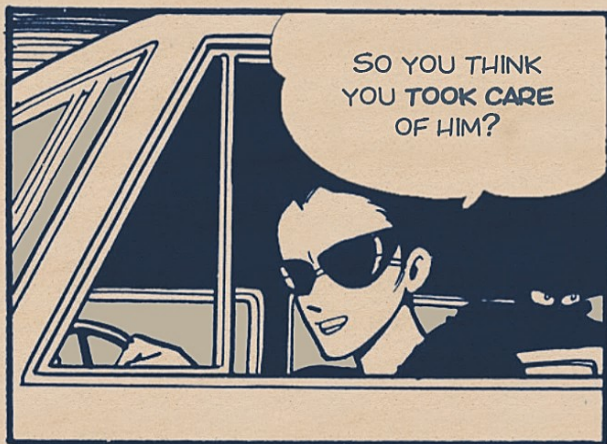


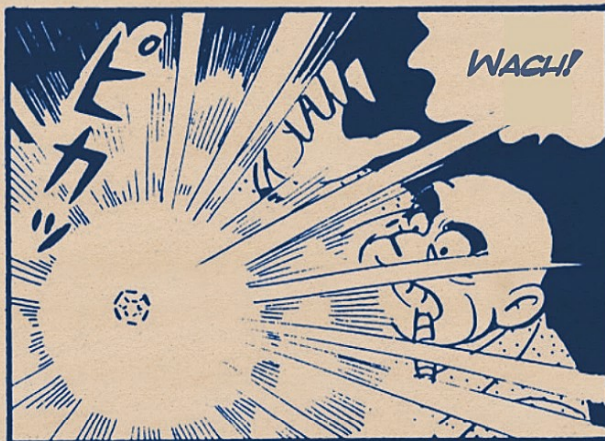
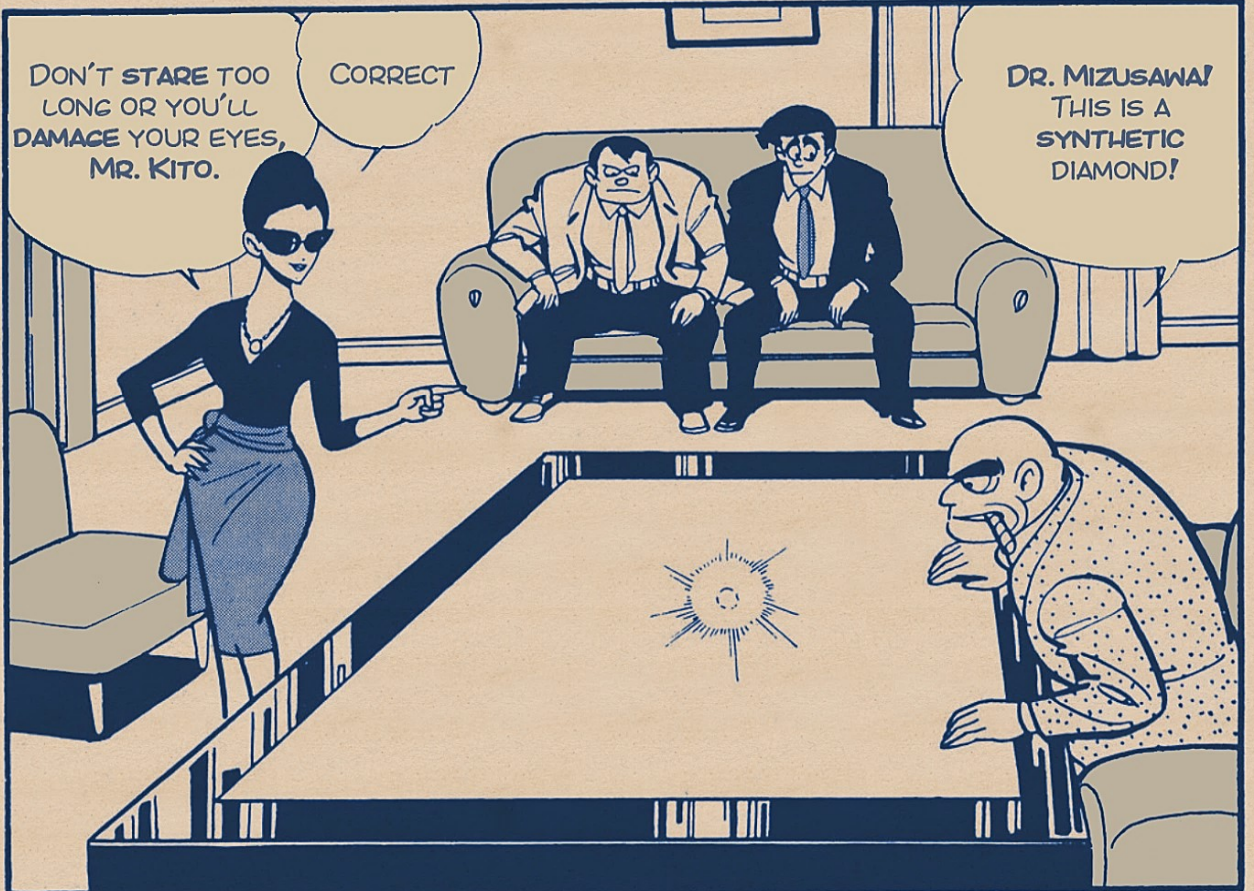


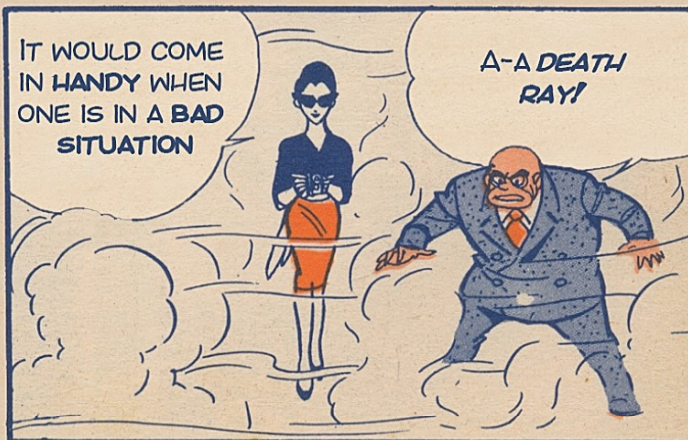
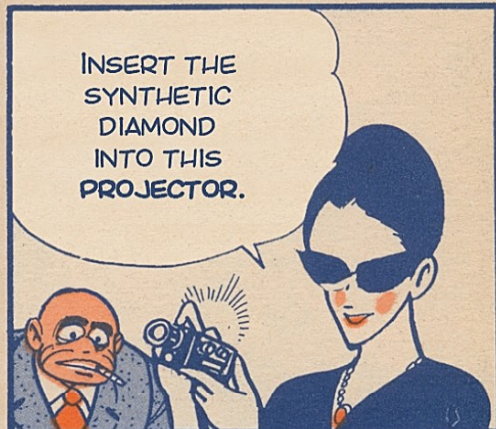
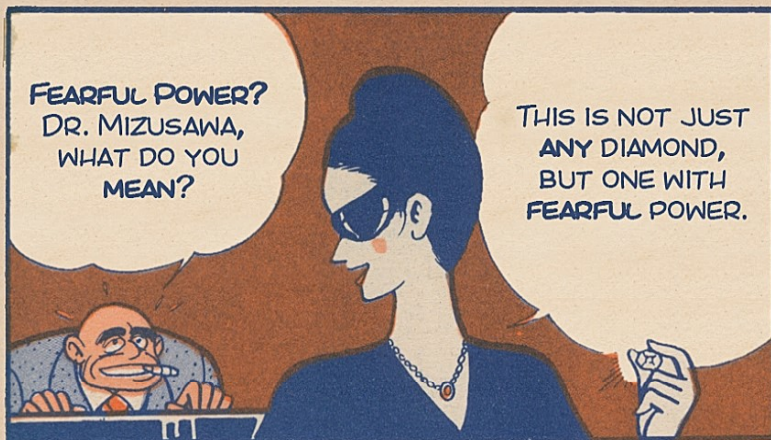


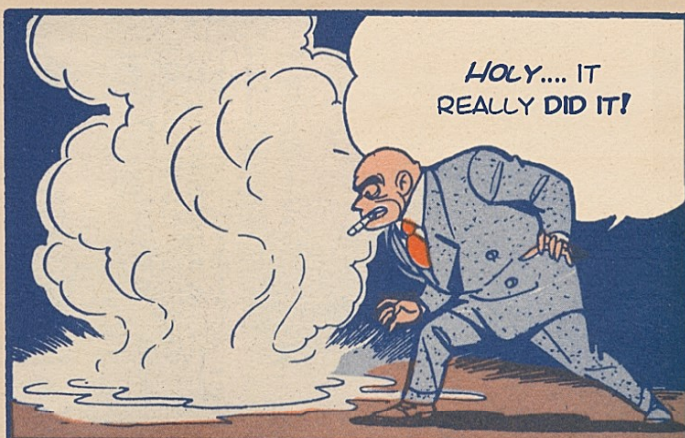
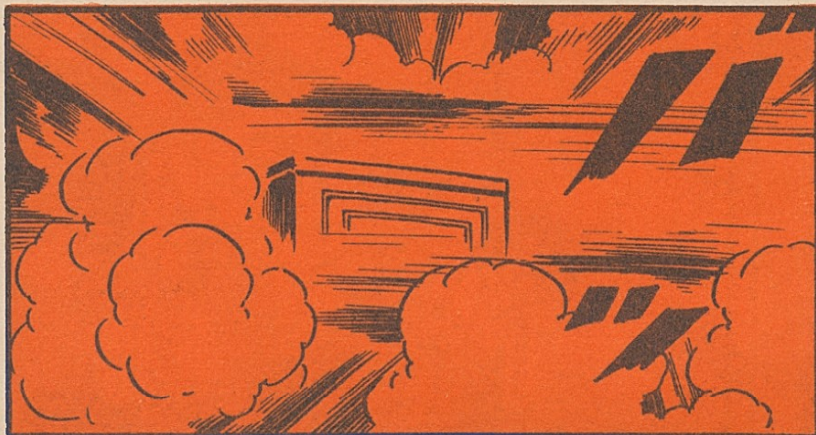
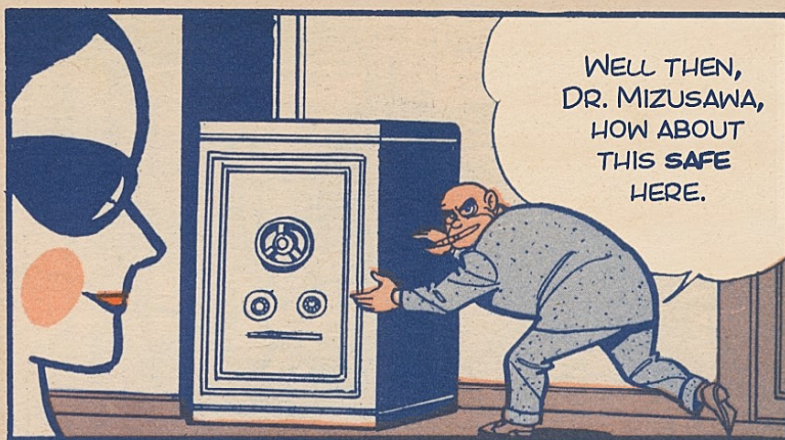


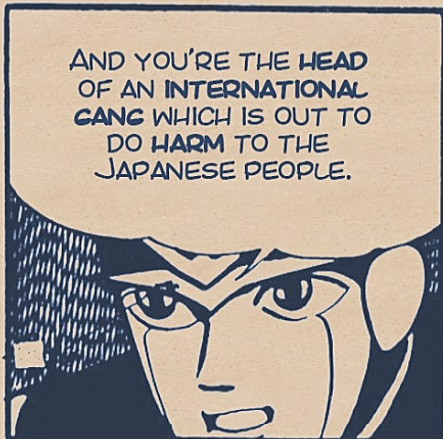
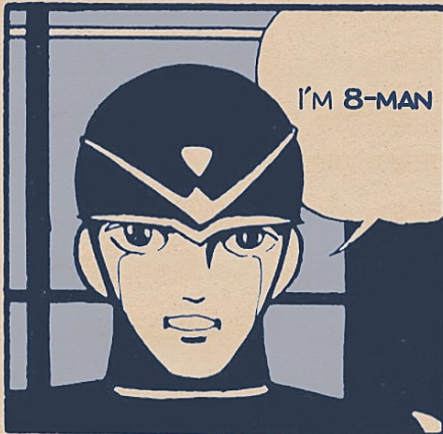
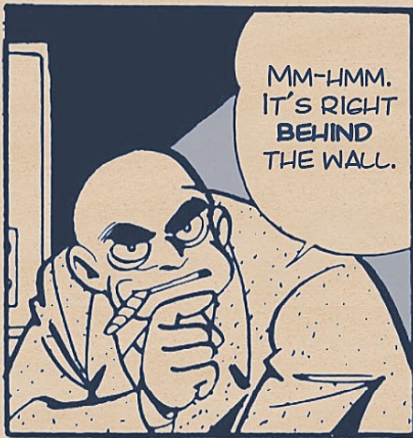


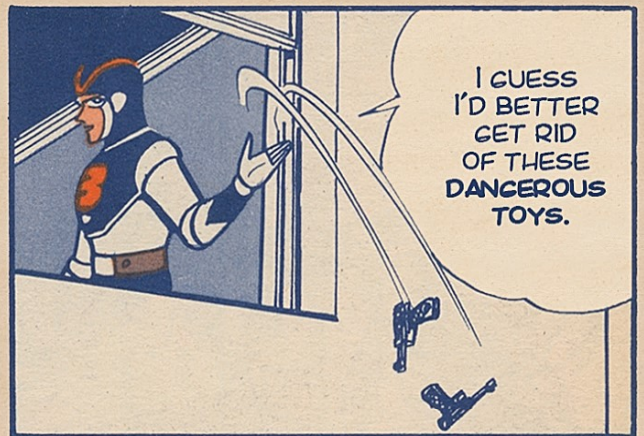
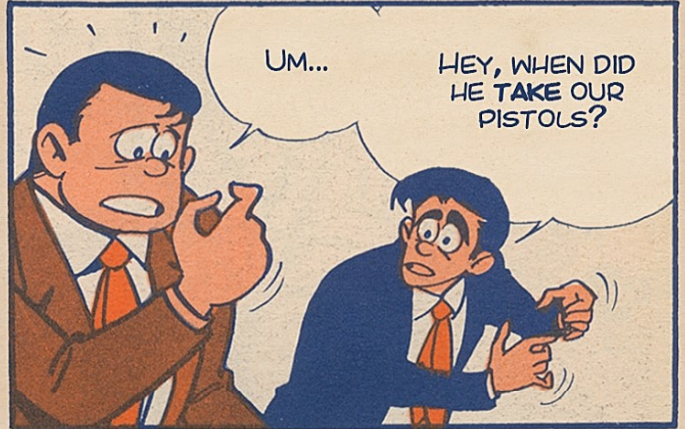
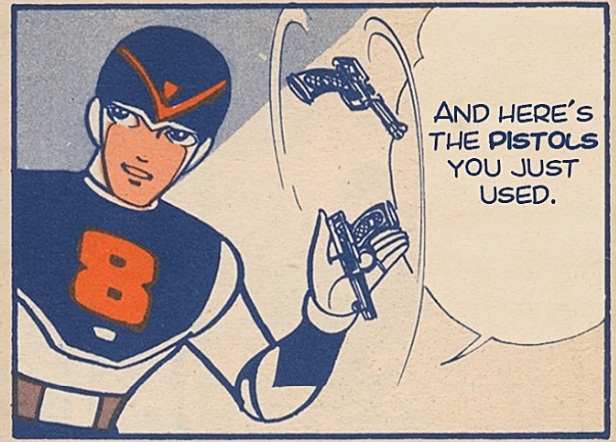




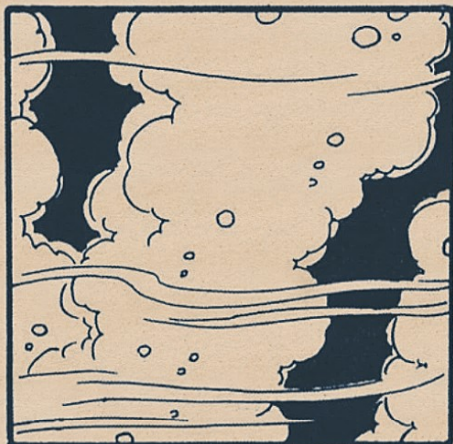
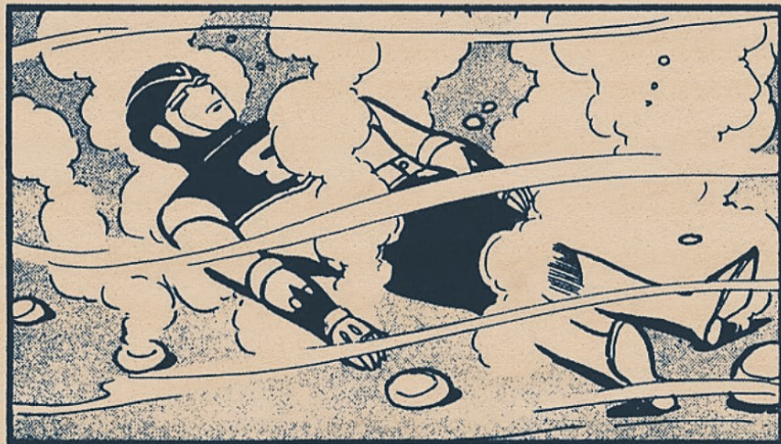
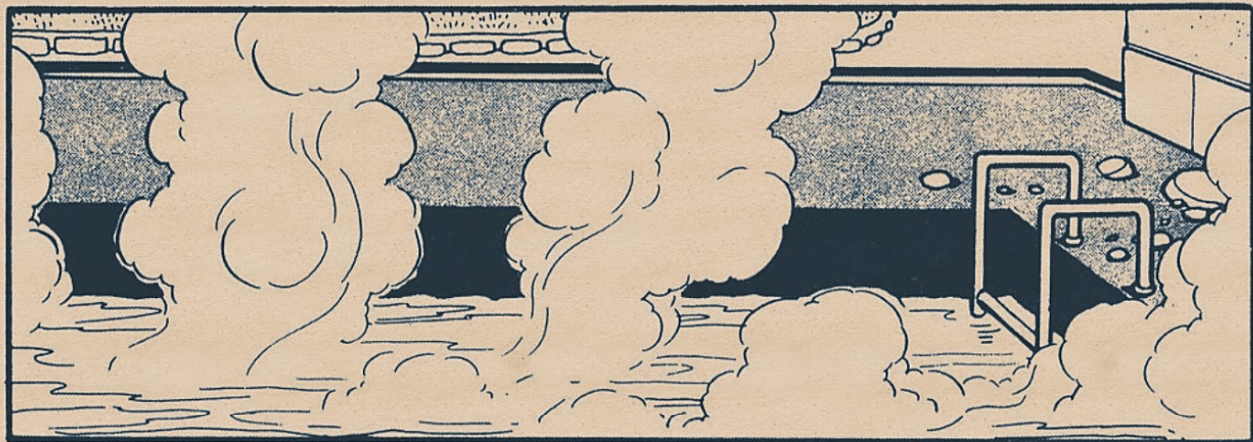
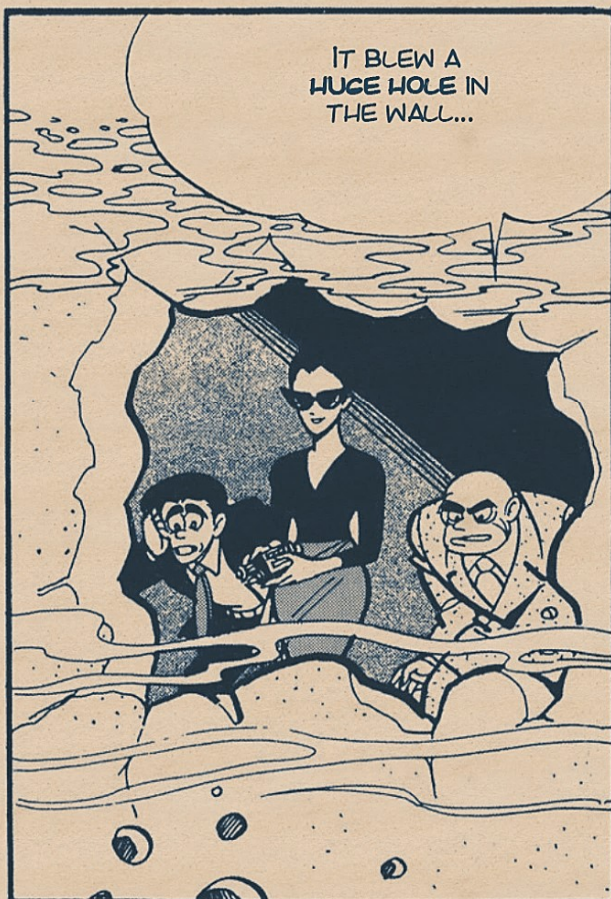
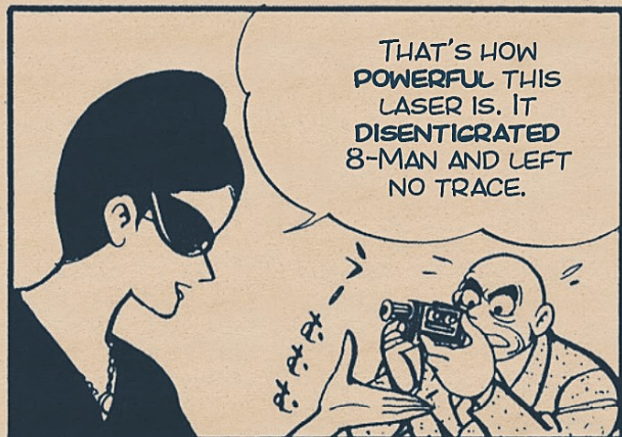
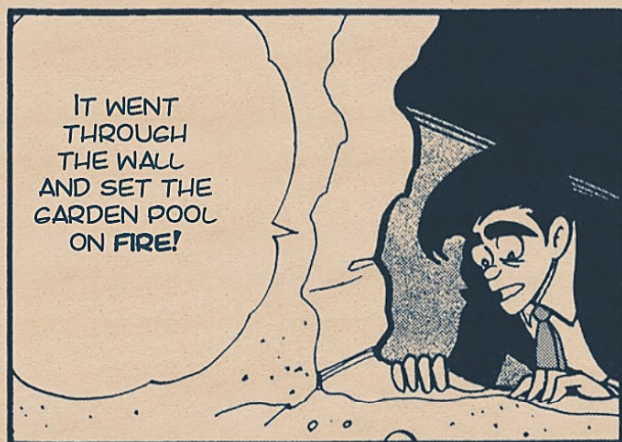


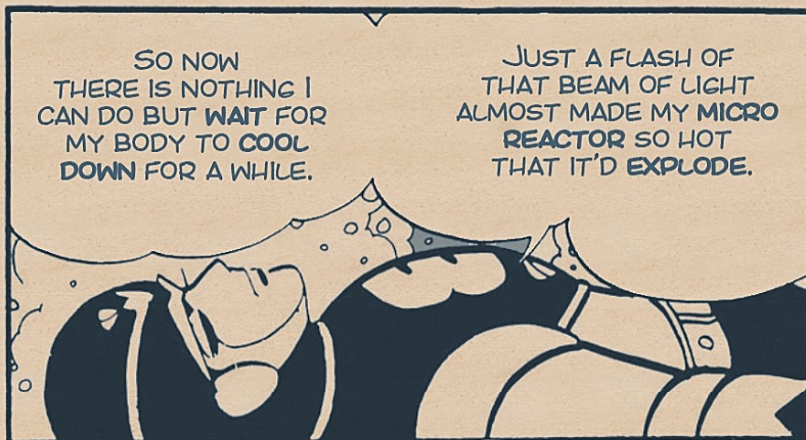










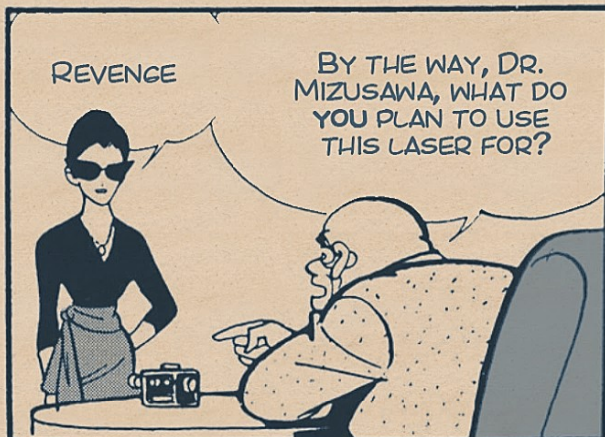


SO NOW
THERE IS NOTHING I
CAN DO BUT **WAIT** FOR
MY BODY TO **COOL**
DOWN FOR A WHILE.

JUST A FLASH OF
THAT BEAM OF LIGHT
ALMOST MADE MY **MICRO**
REACTOR SO HOT
THAT IT'D **EXPLODE**.

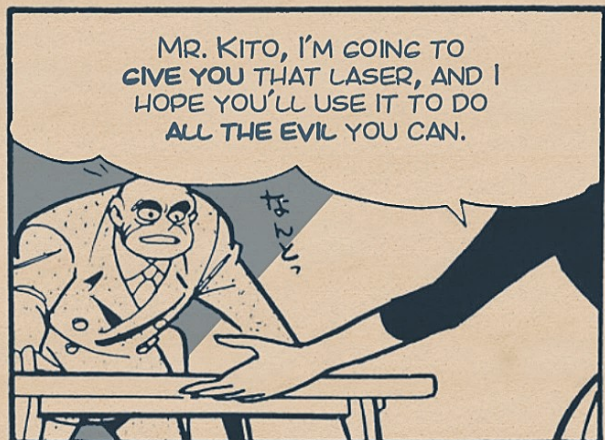


THAT **TERRIBLE**
RAY OF LIGHT. IT
WOULD HAVE **MELTED**
ME IF IT HAD HIT ME
DIRECTLY.

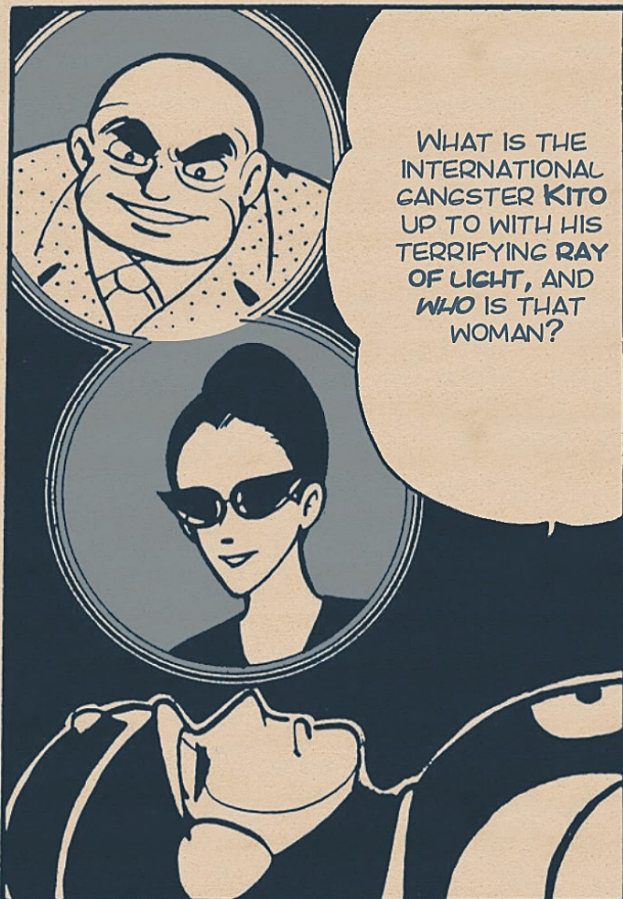


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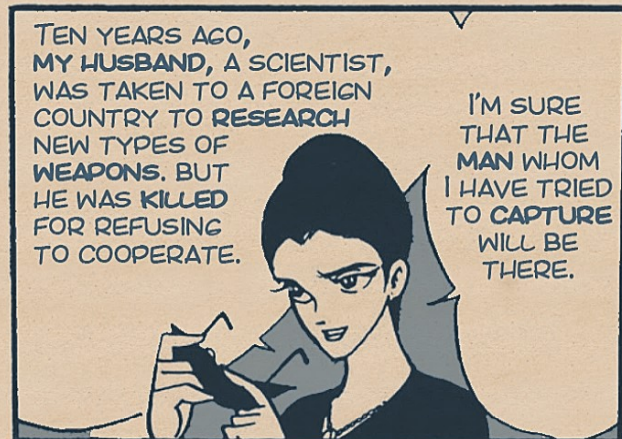
BY THE WAY, DR.
MIZUSAWA, WHAT DO
YOU PLAN TO USE
THIS LASER FOR?



MR. KITO, I'M GOING TO
GIVE YOU THAT LASER, AND I
HOPE YOU'LL USE IT TO DO
ALL THE EVIL YOU CAN.

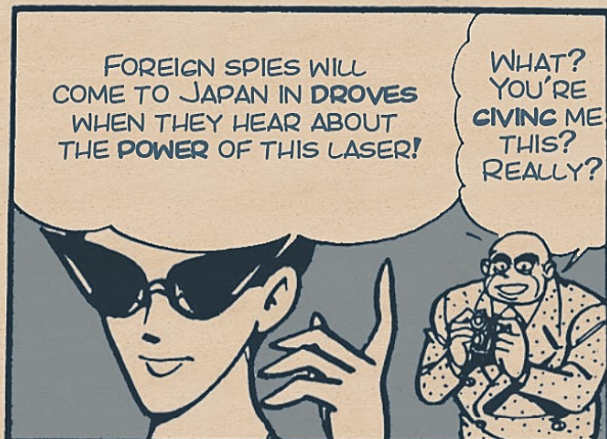


WHAT IS THE
INTERNATIONAL
GANGSTER **KITO**
UP TO WITH HIS
TERRIFYING RAY
OF LIGHT, AND
WHO IS THAT
WOMAN?



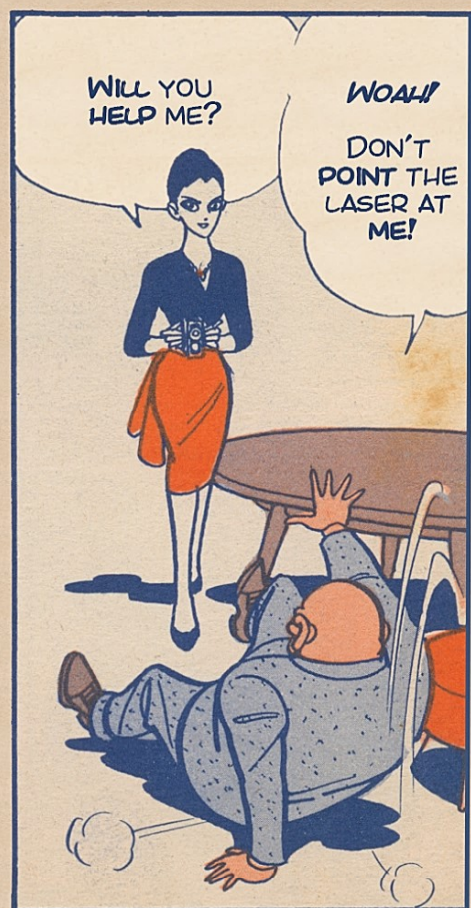
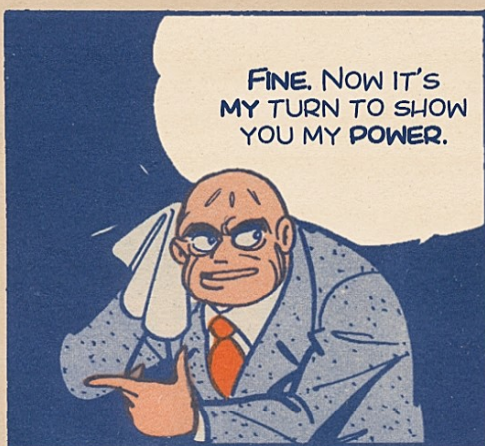
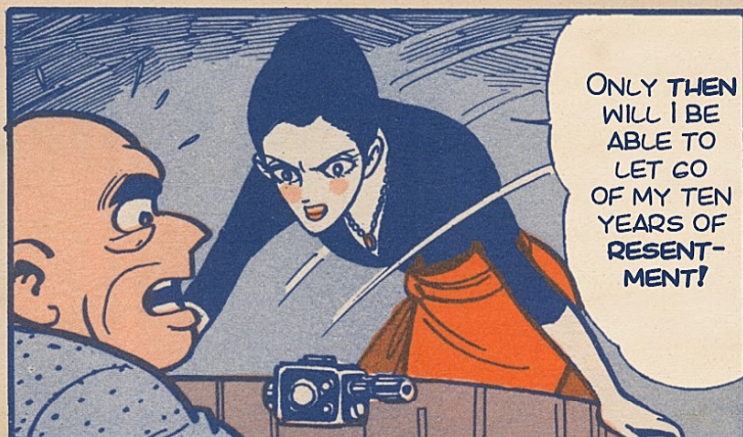
TEN YEARS AGO,
MY **HUSBAND**, A SCIENTIST,
WAS TAKEN TO A FOREIGN
COUNTRY TO **RESEARCH**
NEW TYPES OF
WEAPONS. BUT
HE WAS **KILLED**
FOR REFUSING
TO COOPERATE.

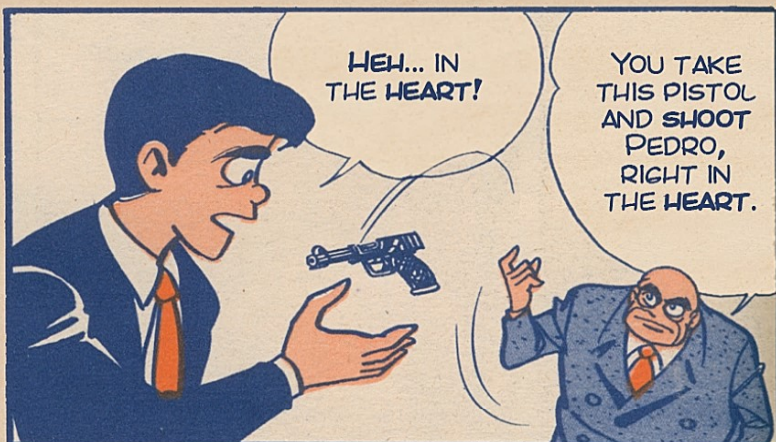
I'M SURE
THAT THE
MAN WHOM
I HAVE TRIED
TO **CAPTURE**
WILL BE
THERE.

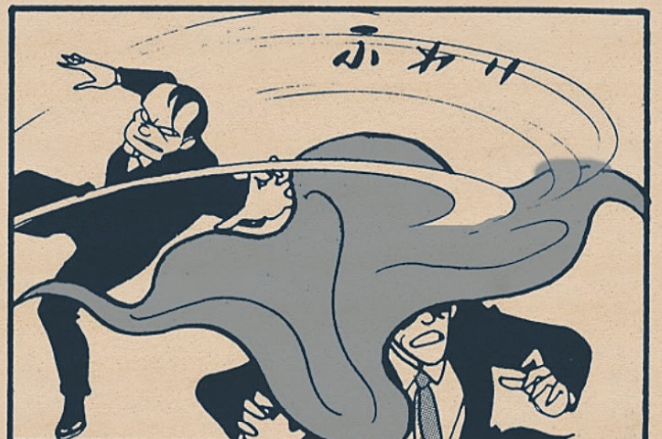
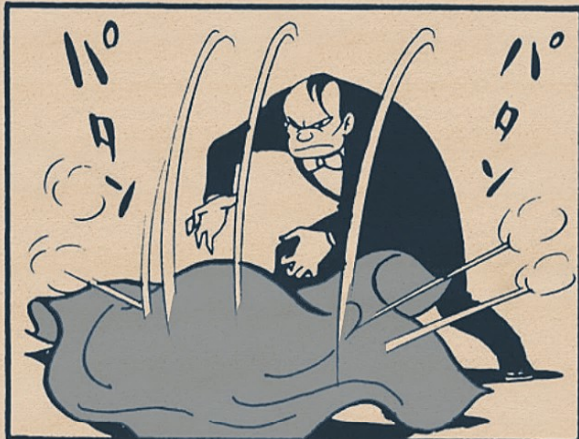
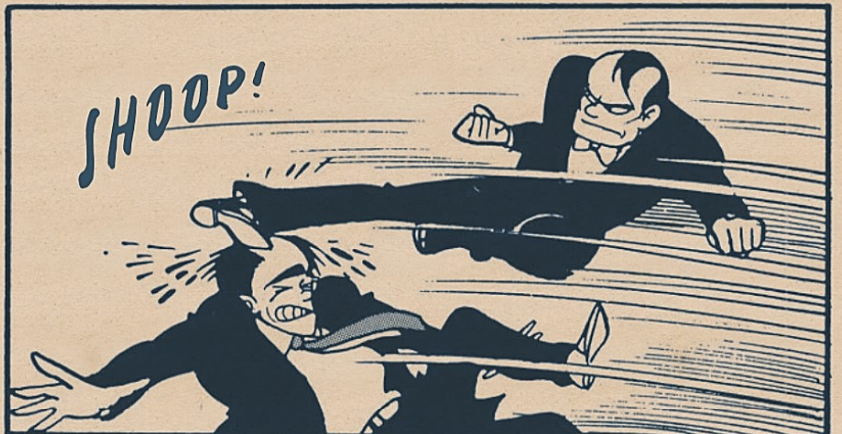
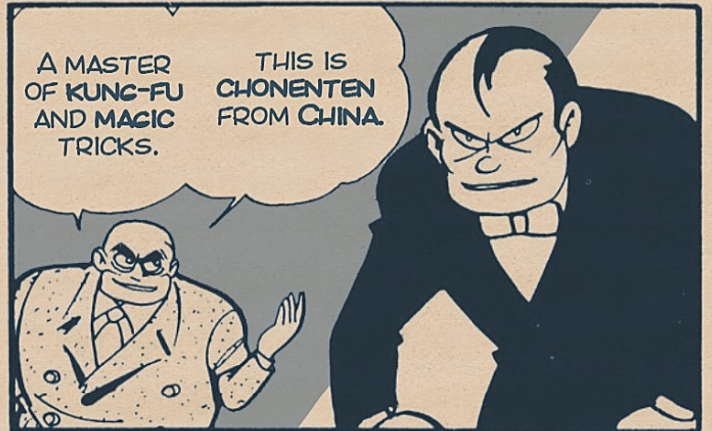
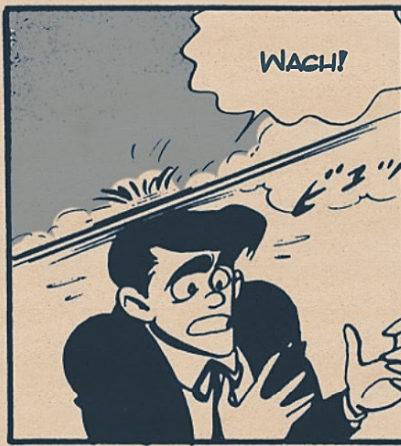


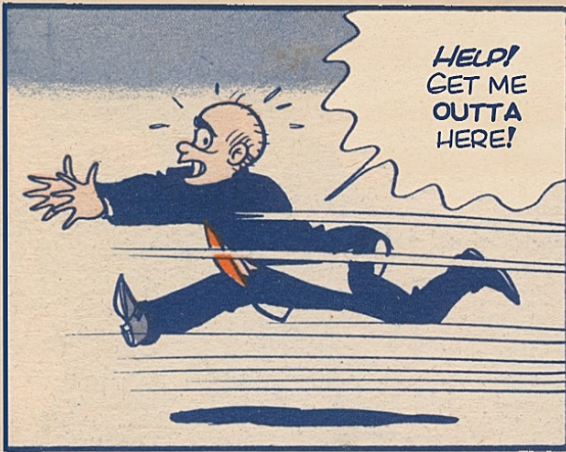
FOREIGN SPIES WILL
COME TO JAPAN IN **DROVES**
WHEN THEY HEAR ABOUT
THE **POWER** OF THIS LASER!

WHAT?
YOU'RE
GIVING ME
THIS?
REALLY?

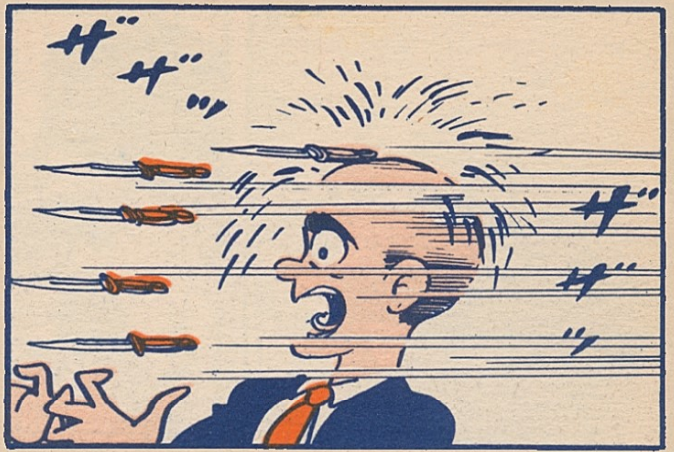






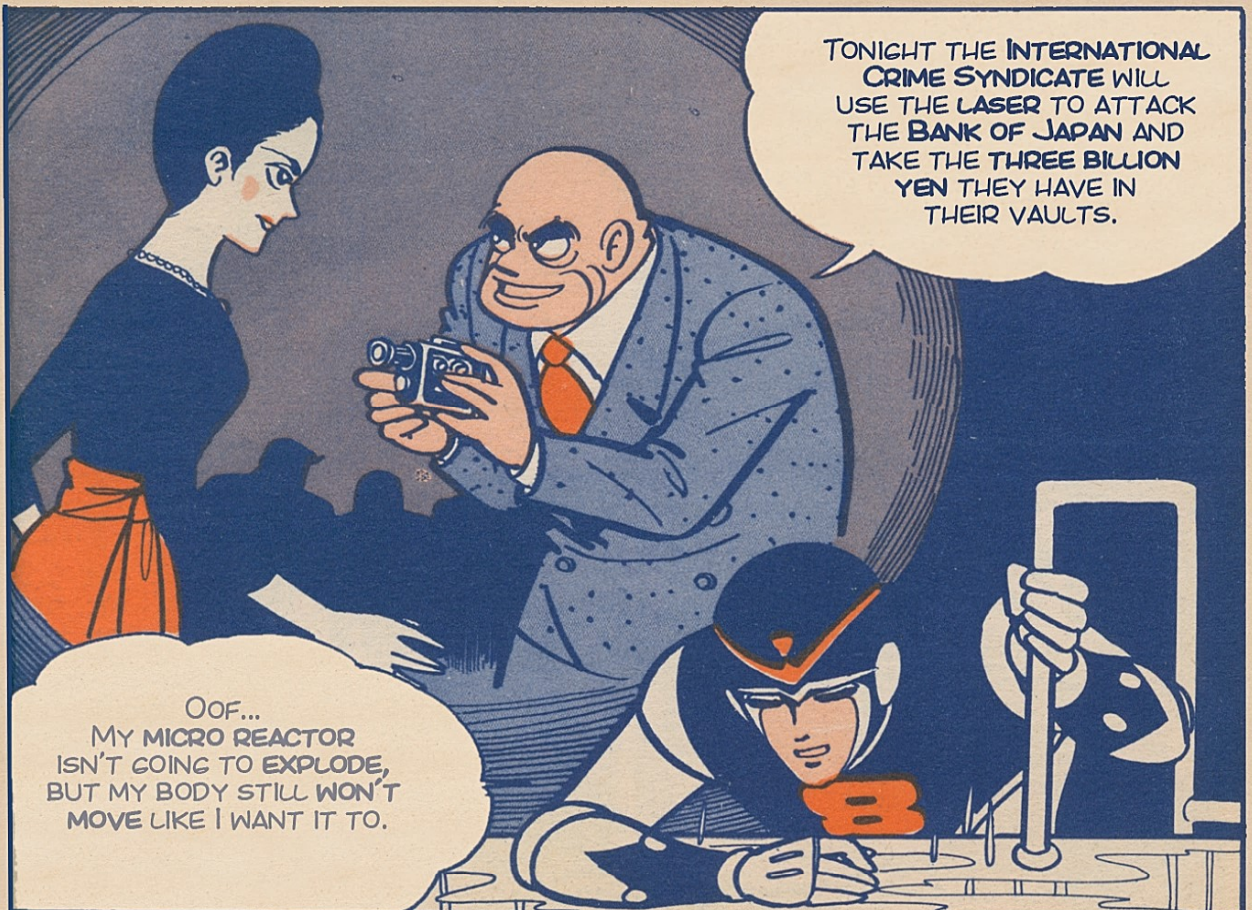


HELP!
GET ME
OUTTA
HERE!



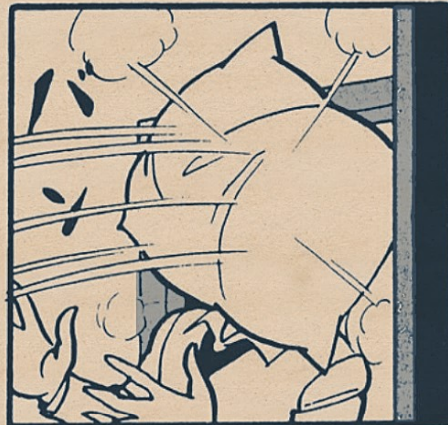
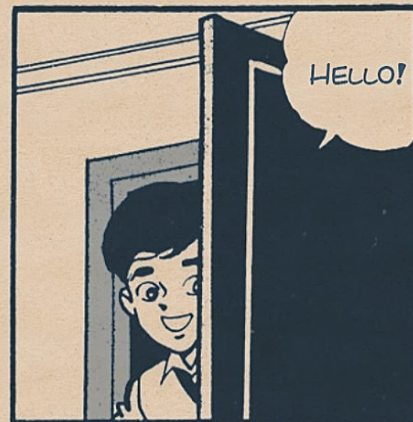
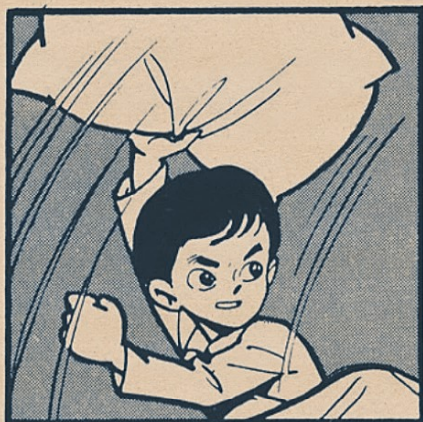
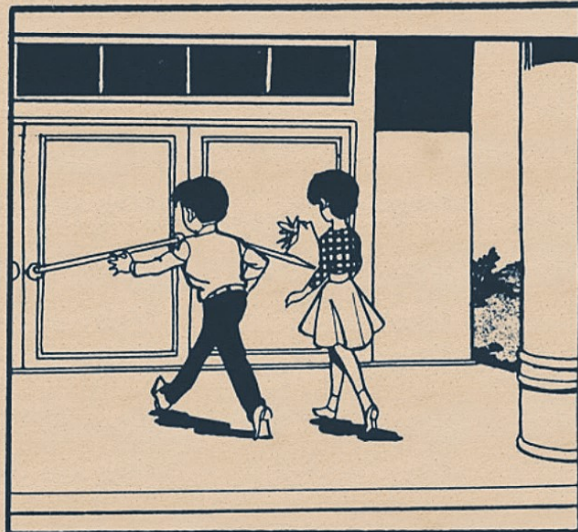
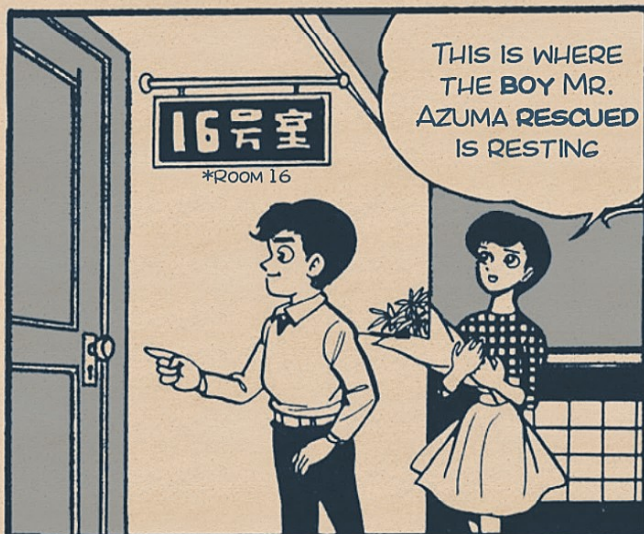
HEH HEH... THAT
SOUNDS LIKE IT
WOULD BE GOOD
FOR MY **PERSONAL**
WELL-BEING TOO.

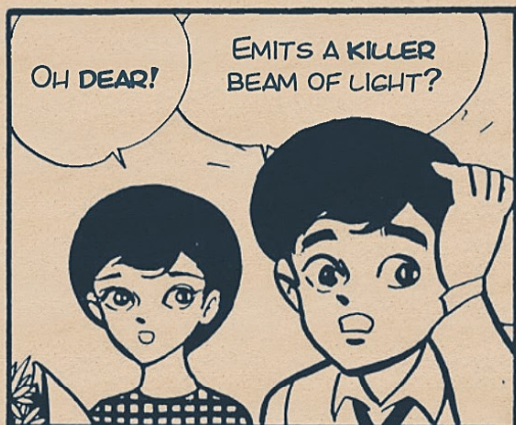
HOW ABOUT THAT! AS LONG
AS **THESE THREE** ARE AROUND,
WE'VE GOT NOTHING TO
FEAR FROM ANY LAW
ENFORCEMENT FROM
ANYWHERE.

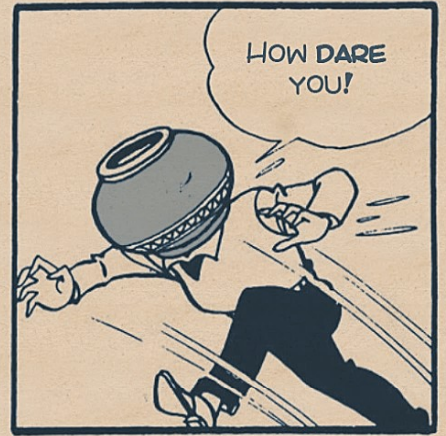
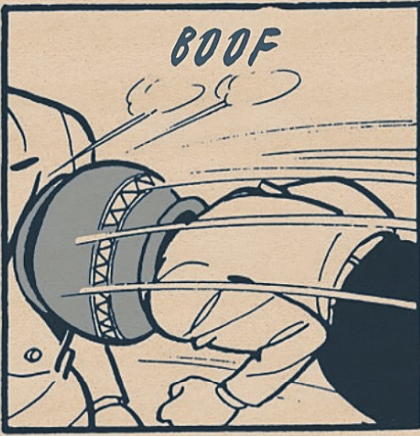


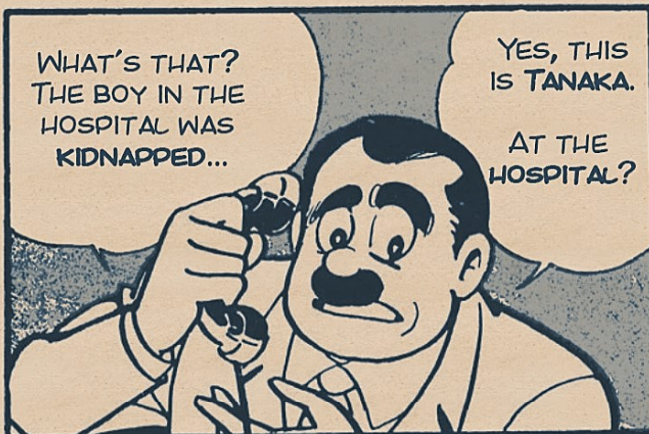
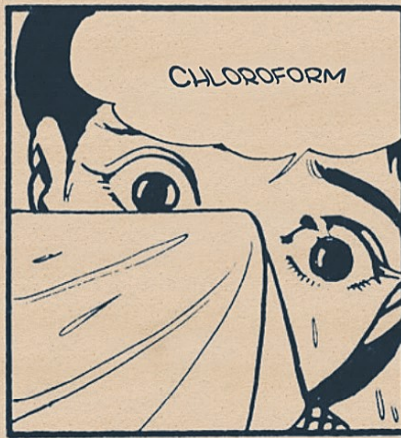
TONIGHT THE **INTERNATIONAL
CRIME SYNDICATE** WILL
USE THE **LASER** TO ATTACK
THE **BANK OF JAPAN** AND
TAKE THE **THREE BILLION
YEN** THEY HAVE IN
THEIR VAULTS.

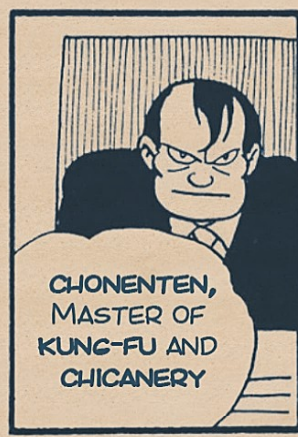
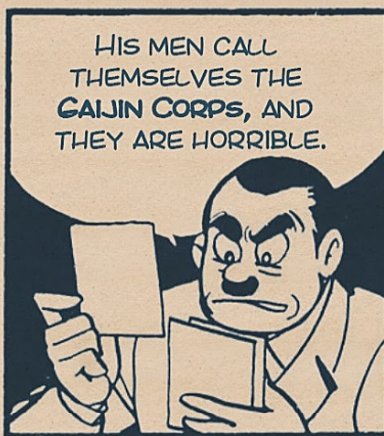
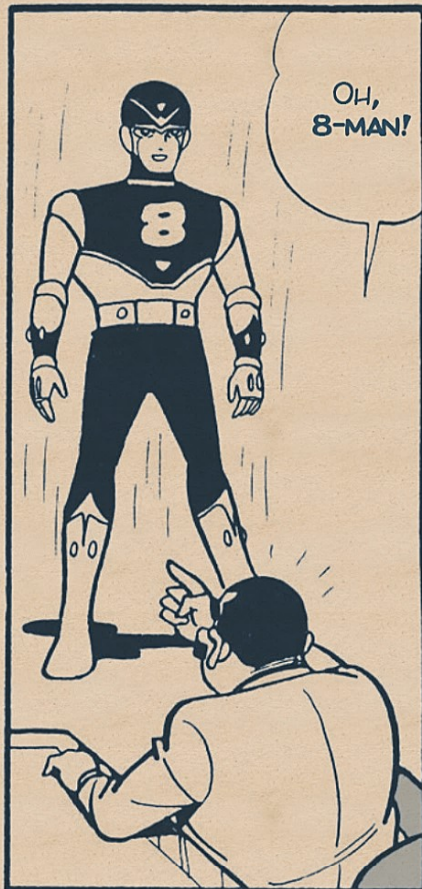
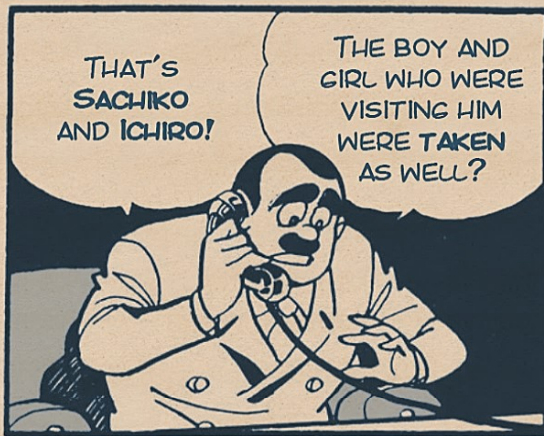
OOF...
MY **MICRO REACTOR**
ISN'T GOING TO **EXPLODE**,
BUT MY BODY STILL WON'T
MOVE LIKE I WANT IT TO.

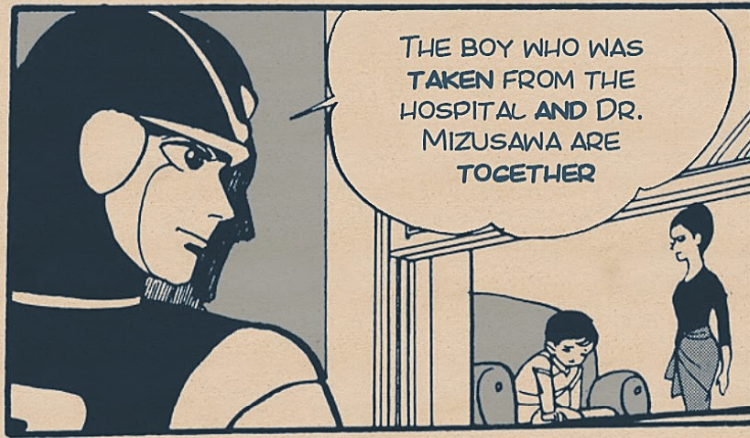
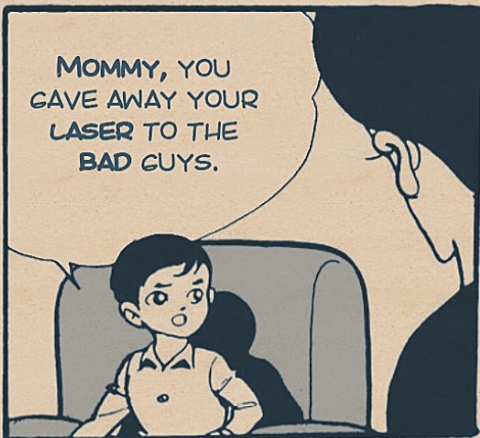
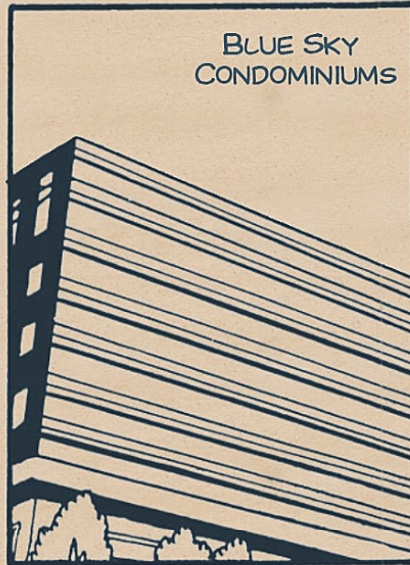
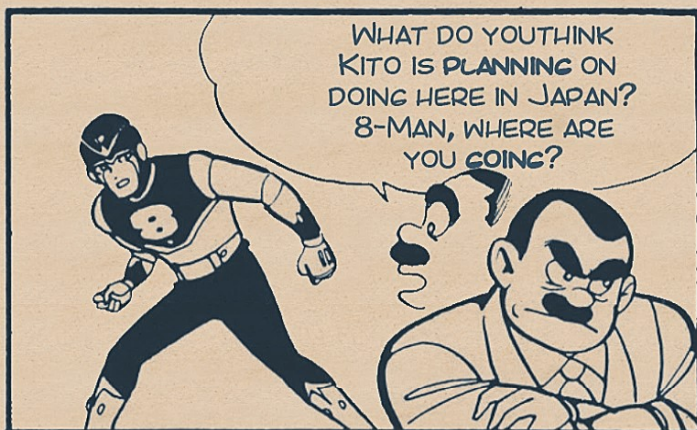
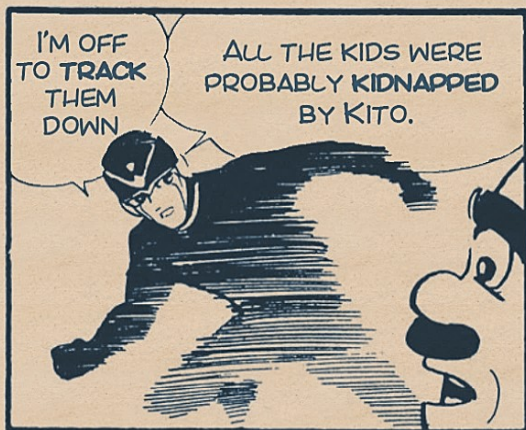


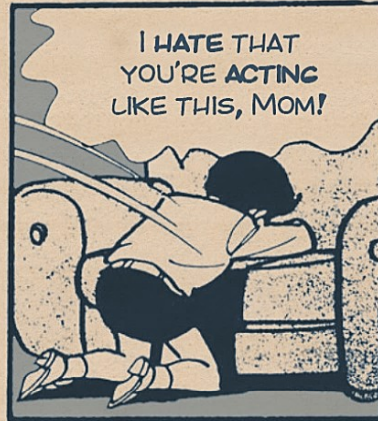
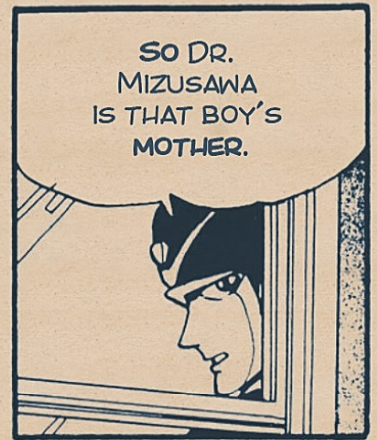
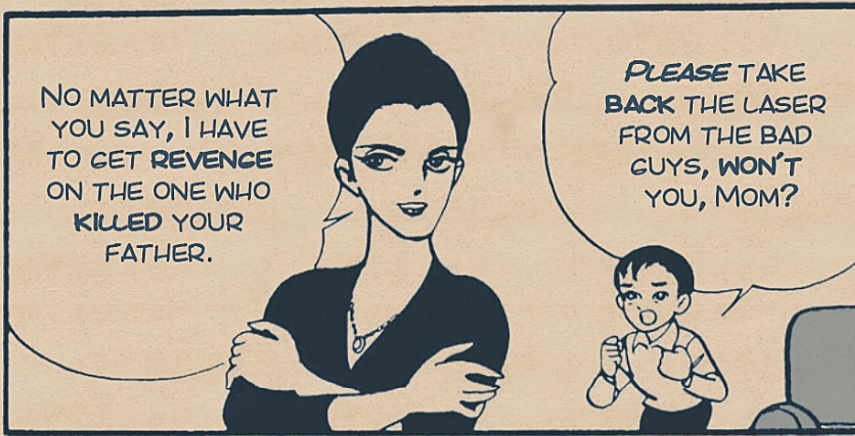


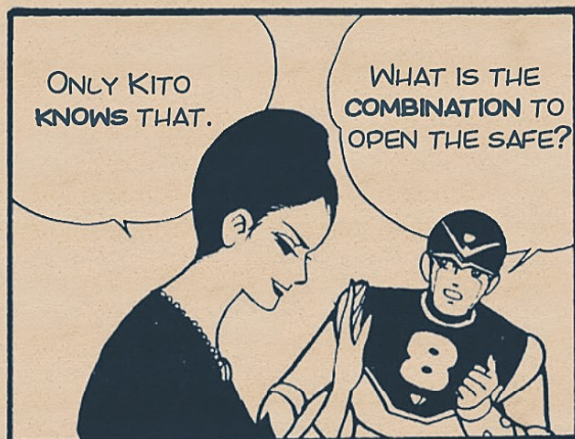
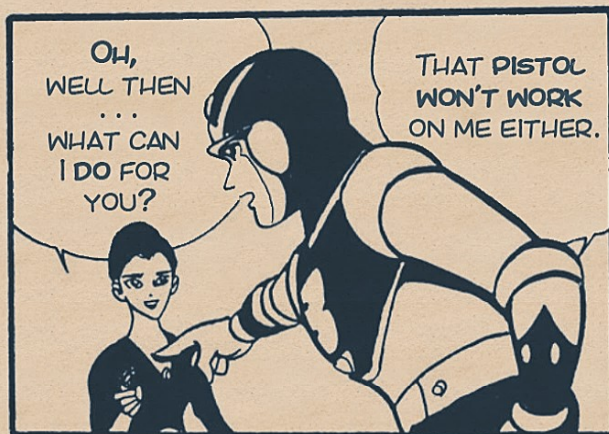


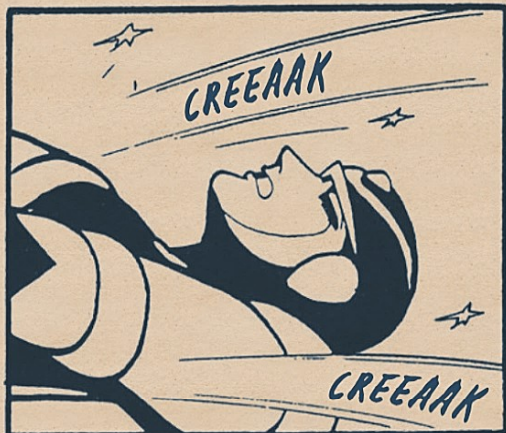
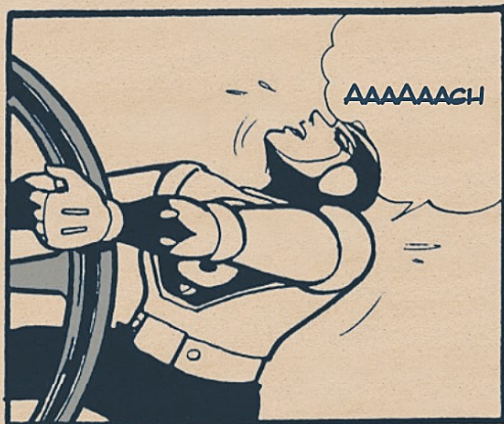


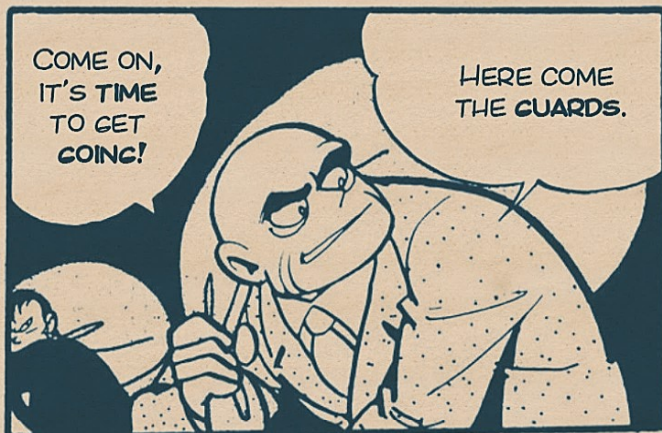
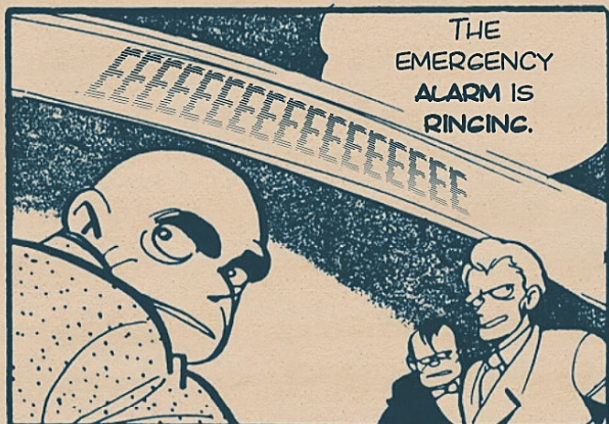


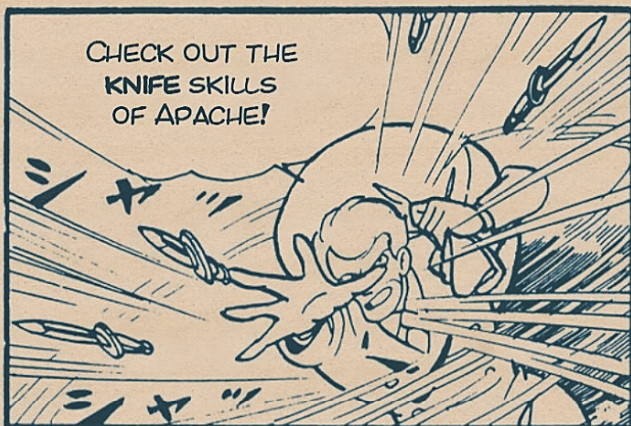
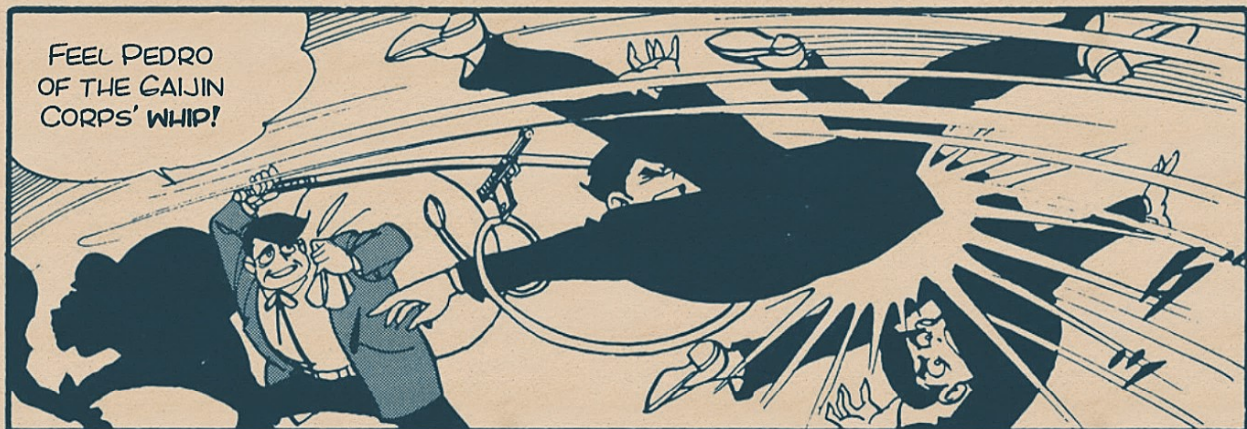
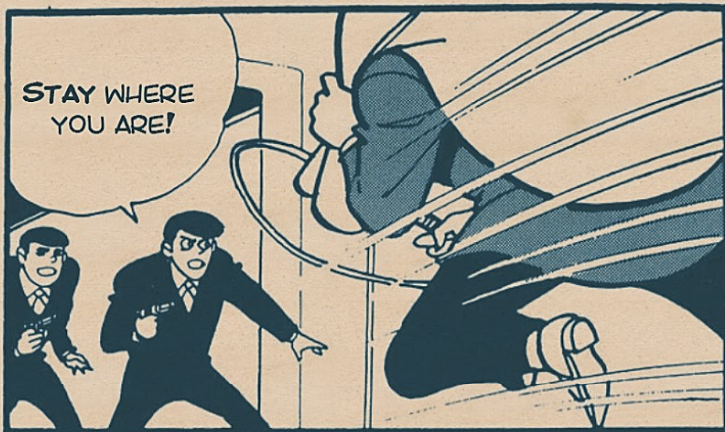
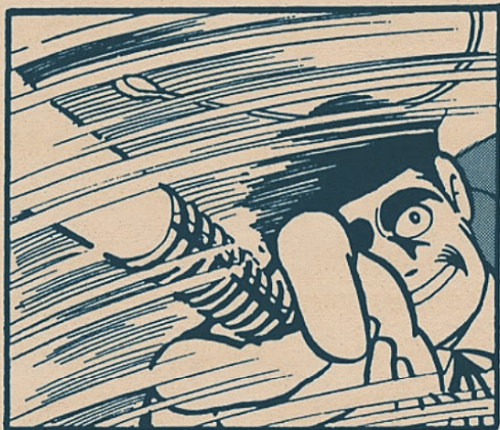


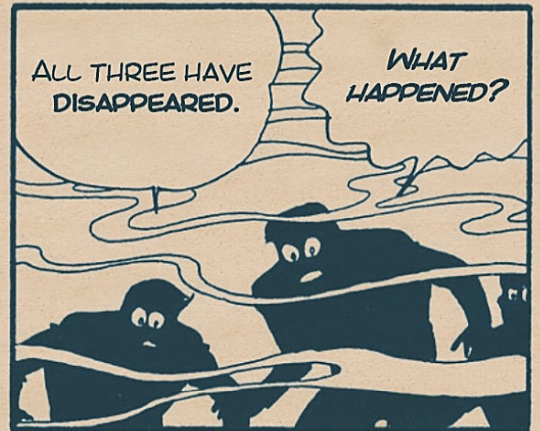


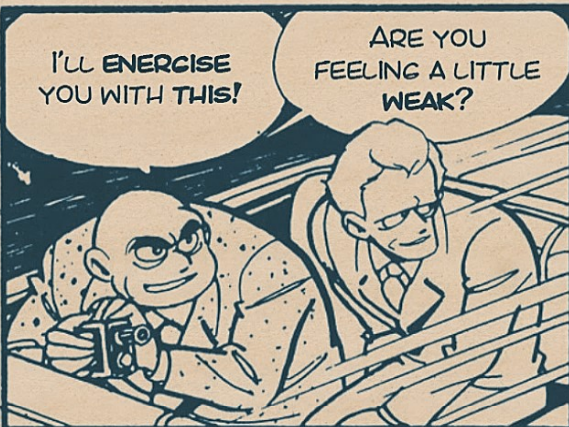
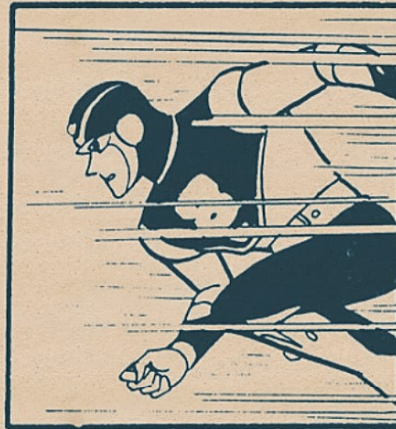
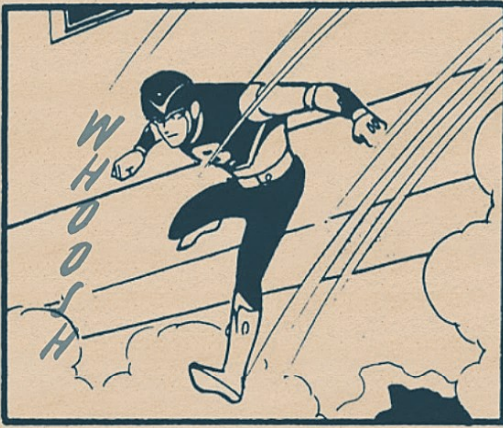


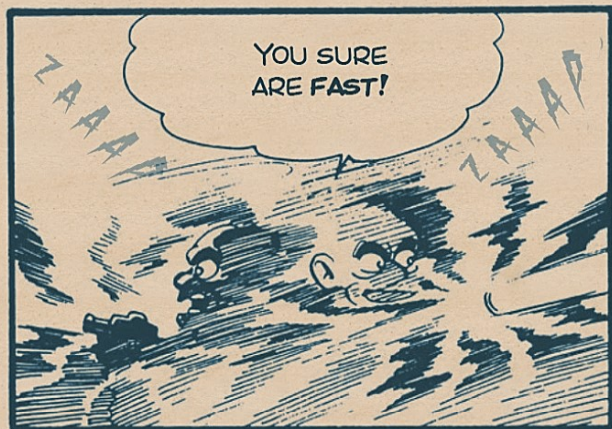
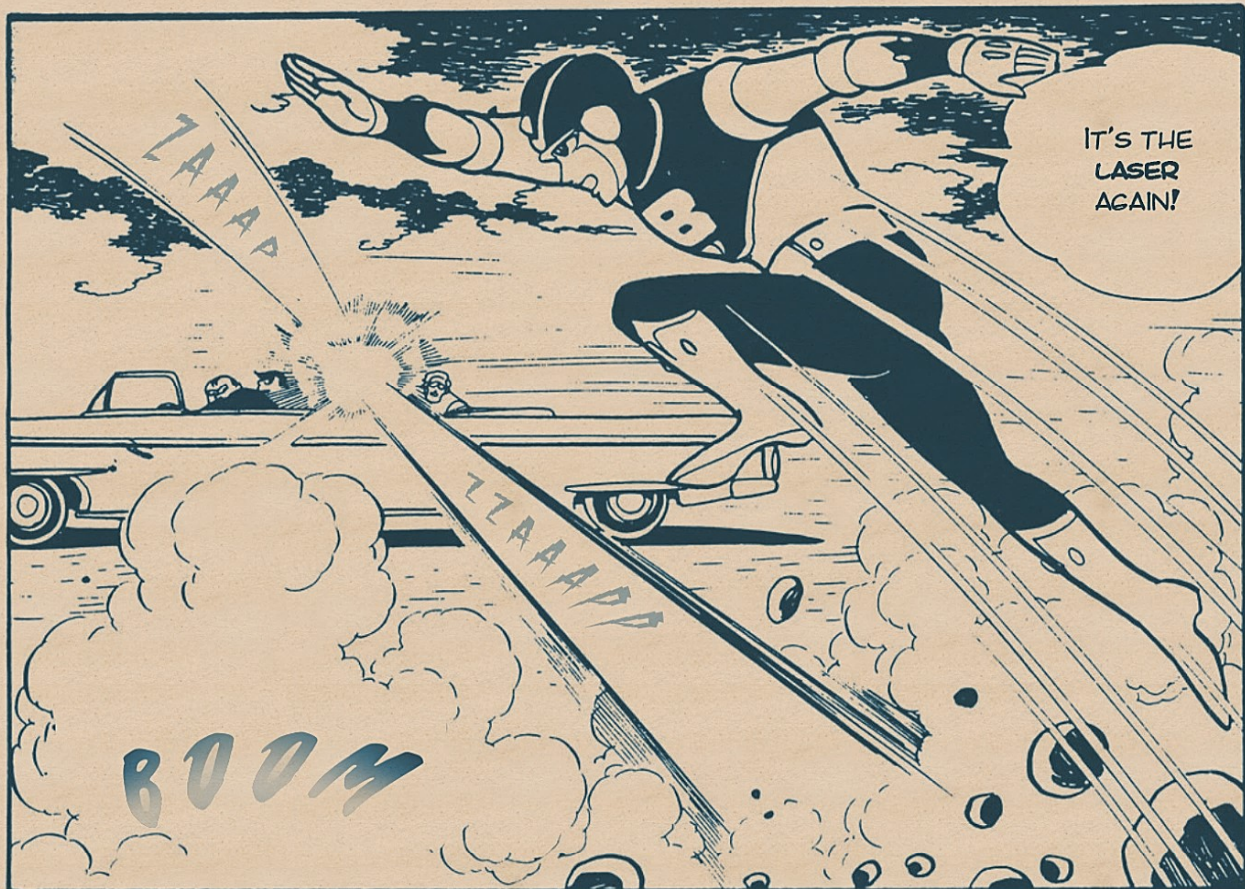








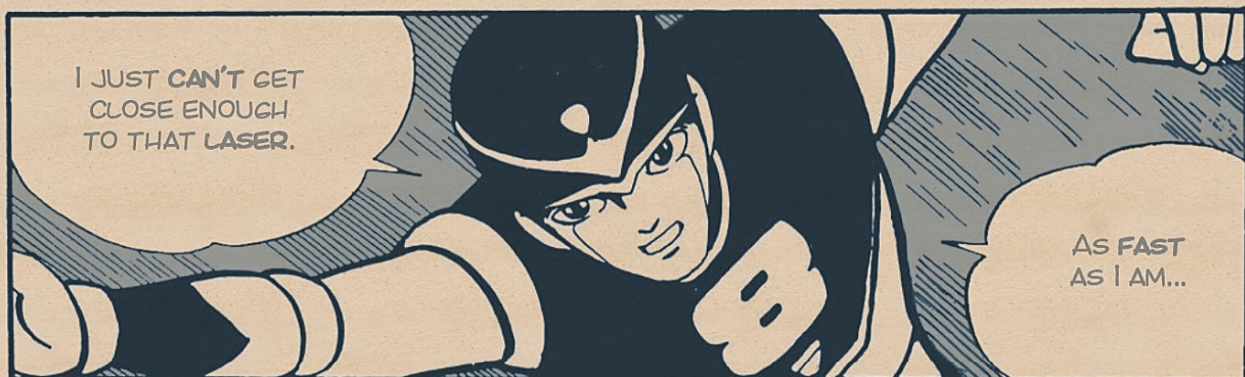






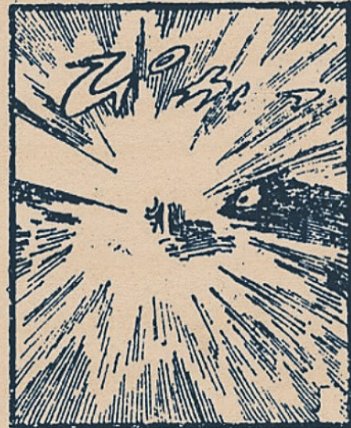
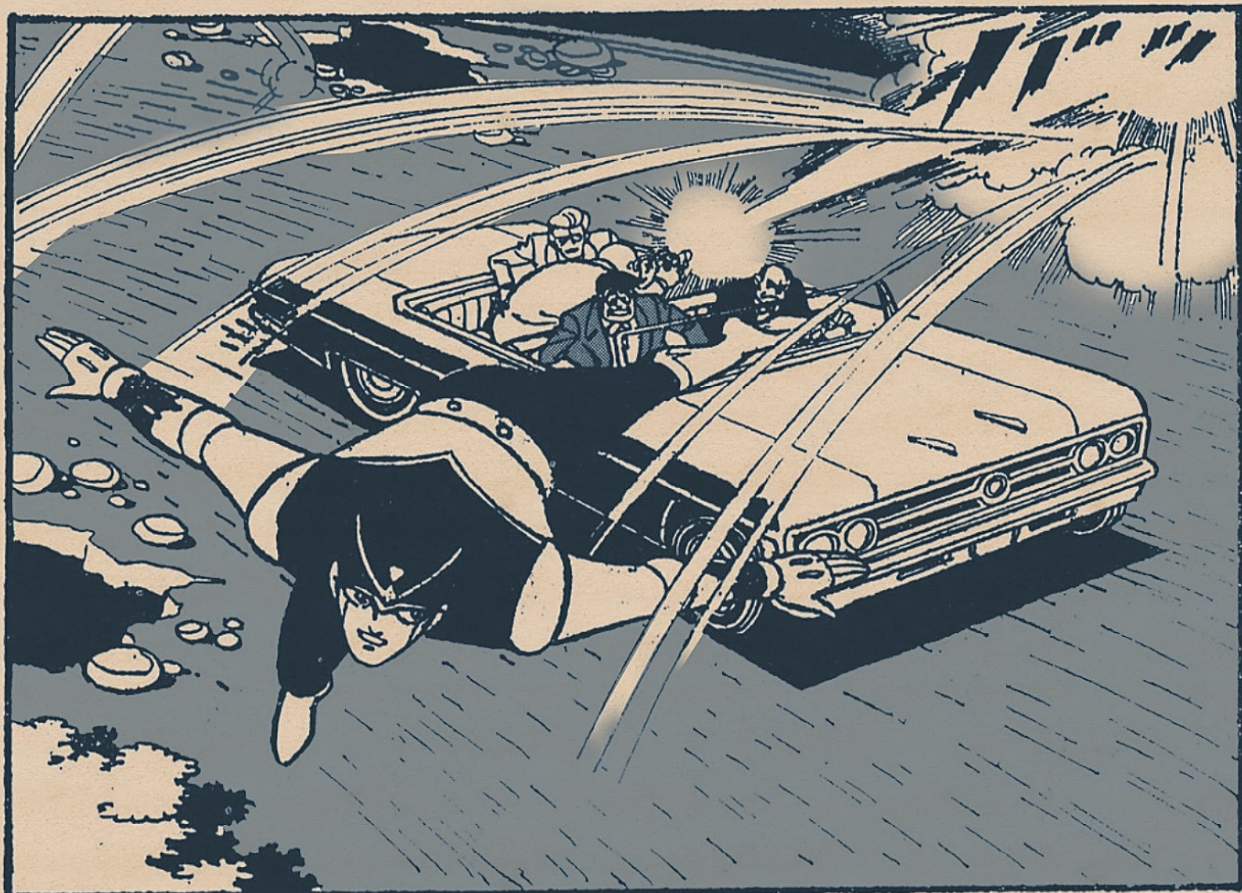
BOSS! HE'S
OVER THERE!

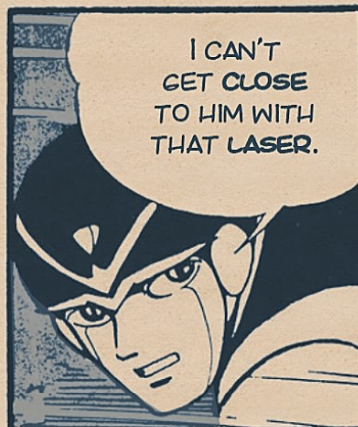
HE'S OVER
THERE!

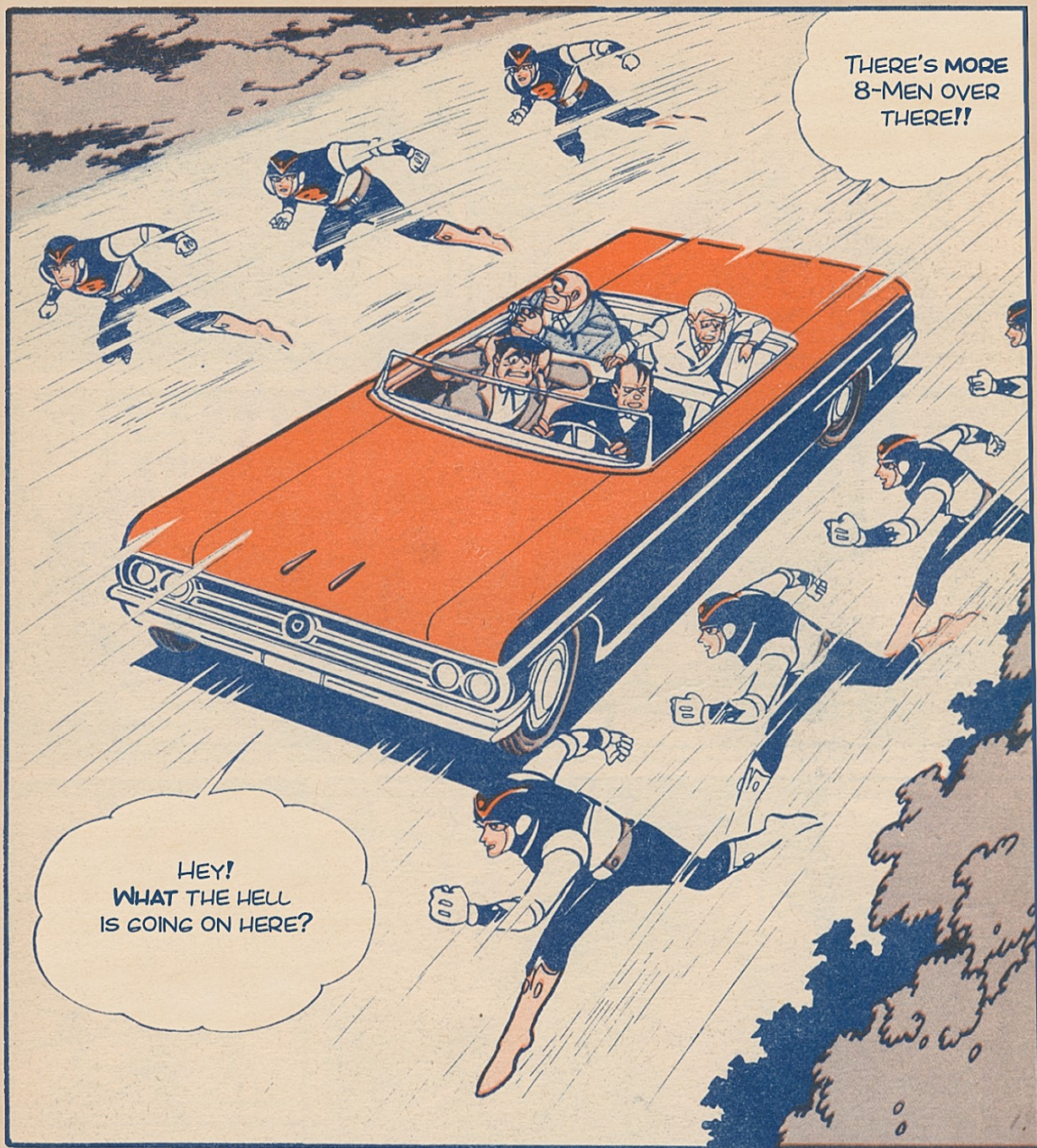


I JUST CAN'T GET
CLOSE ENOUGH
TO THAT LASER.

AS FAST
AS I AM...





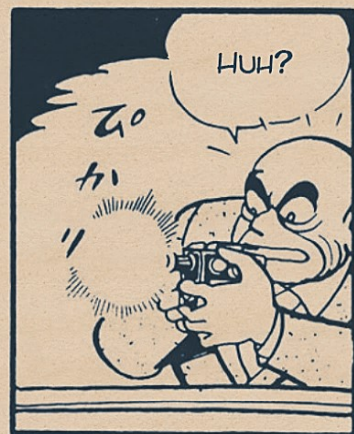
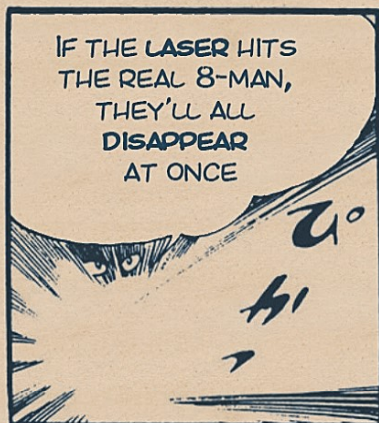
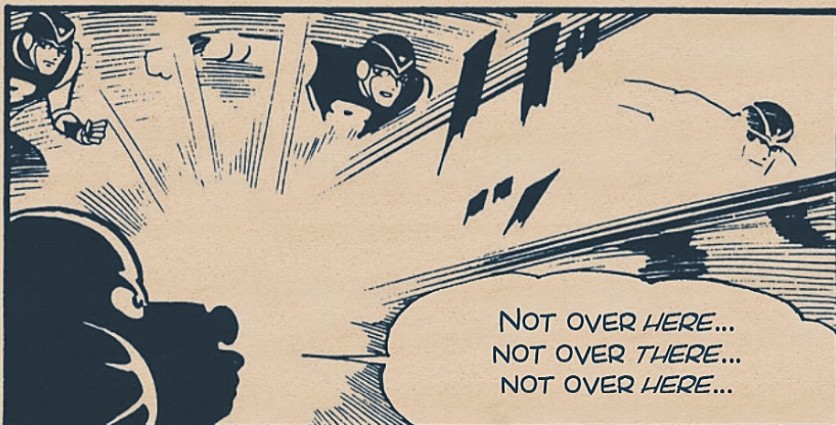
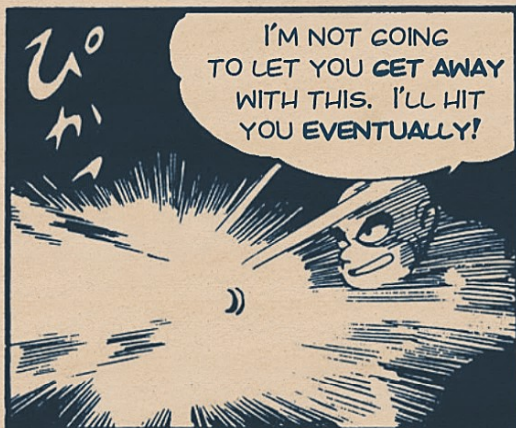
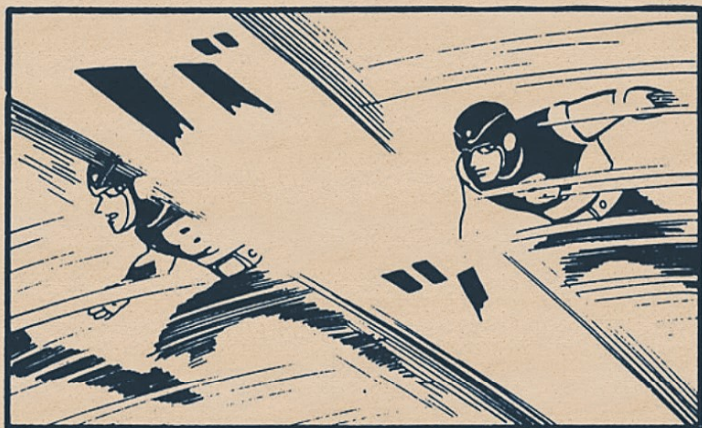


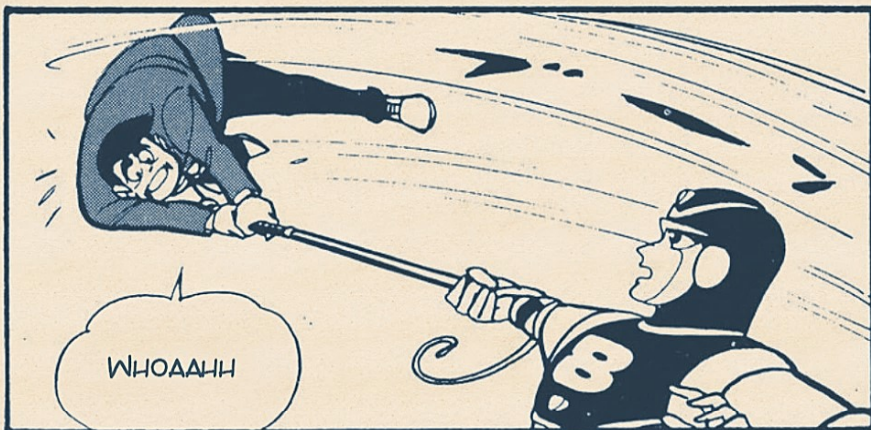
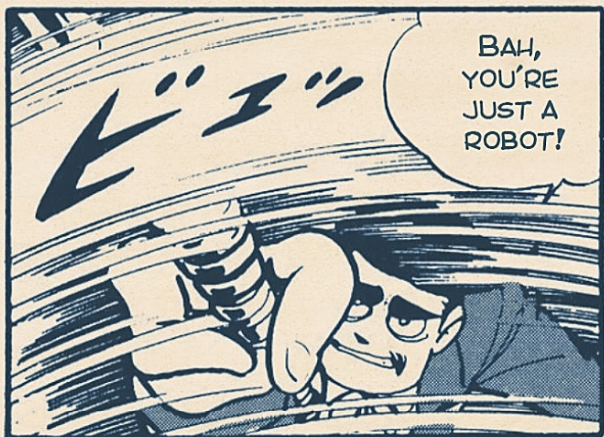
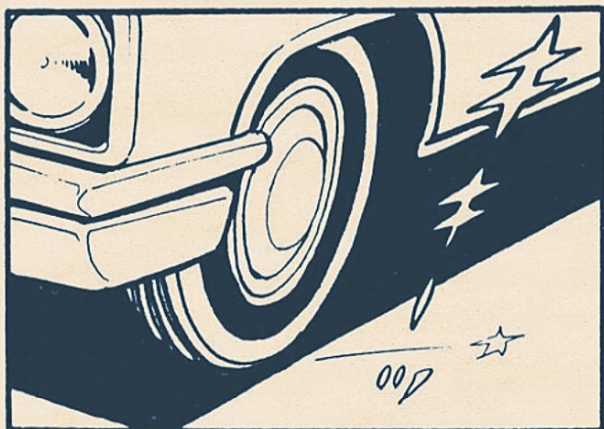
WHEN YOU DO THAT,
THE AFTERIMAGE REMAINS
AND YOU CAN SEE ANY
NUMBER OF PEOPLE.

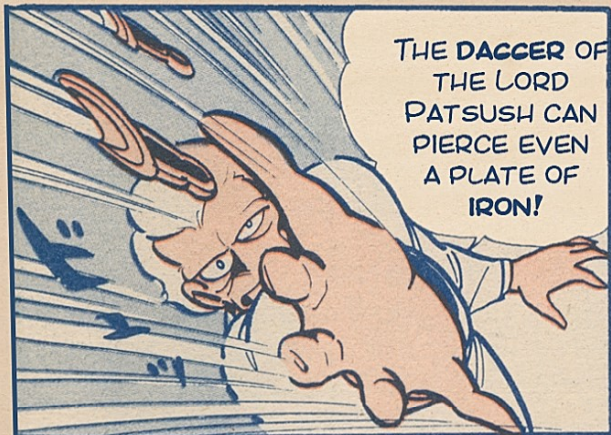
8-MAN IS MOVING VERY
FAST AND THEN STOPS
SUDDENLY AND STARTS
RUNNING AGAIN.

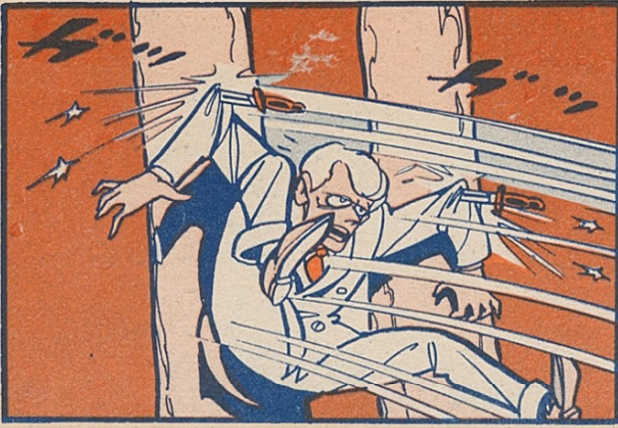
DON'T PANIC, IT'S
JUST A TRICK
OF THE EYE.

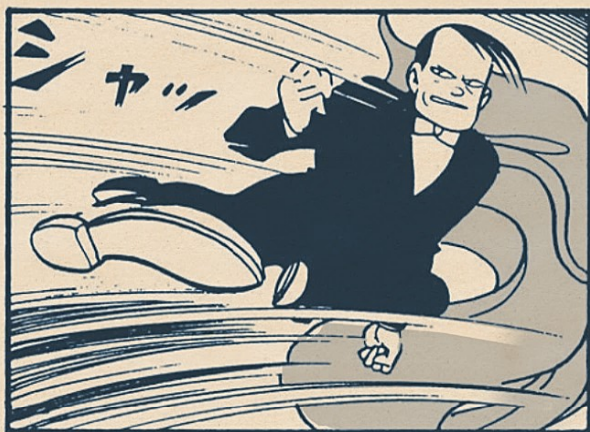
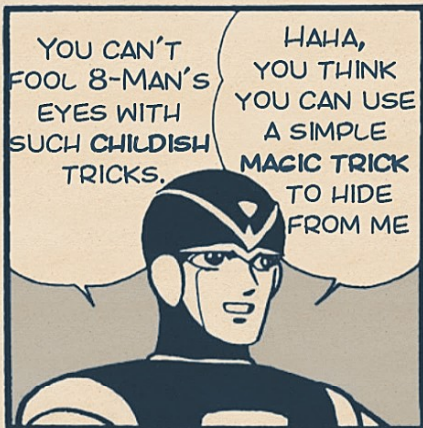


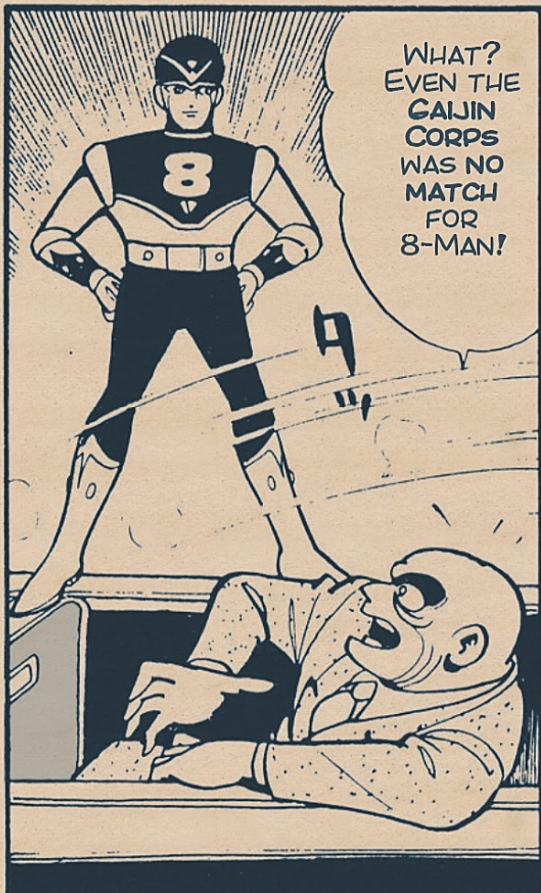


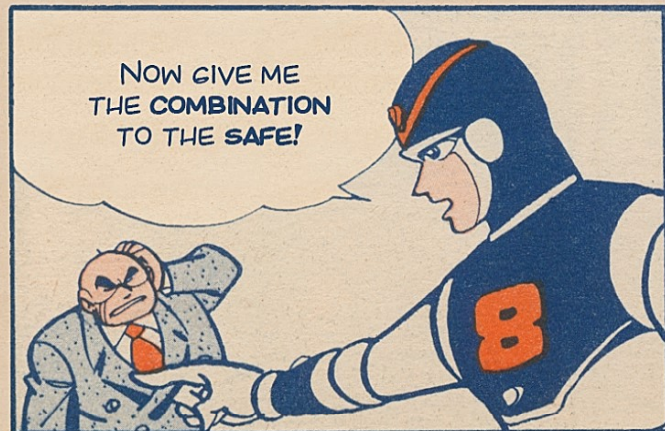
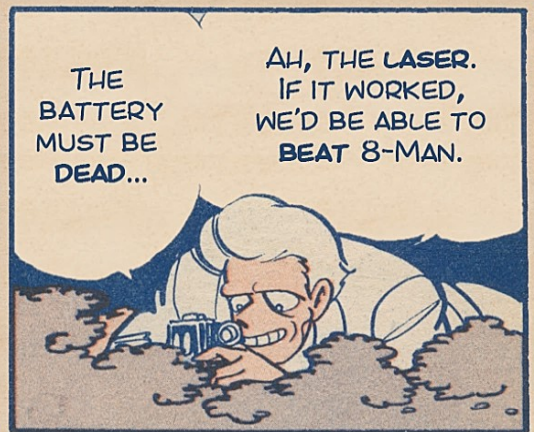
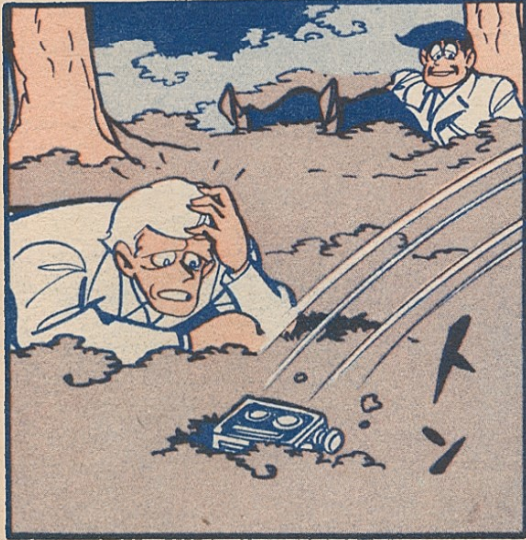
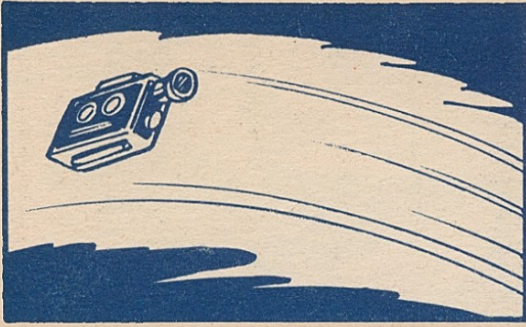


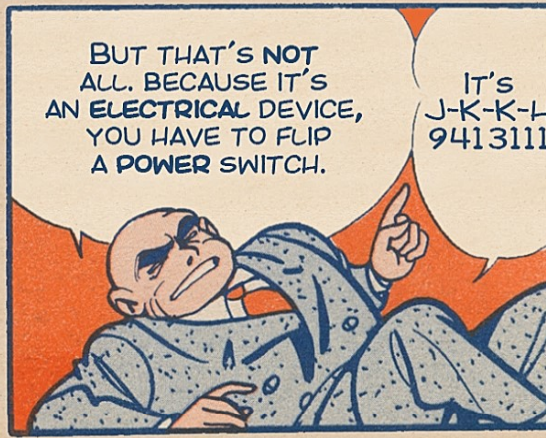
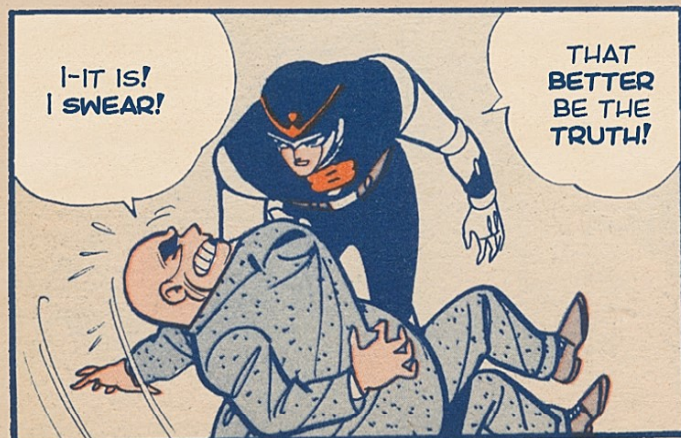
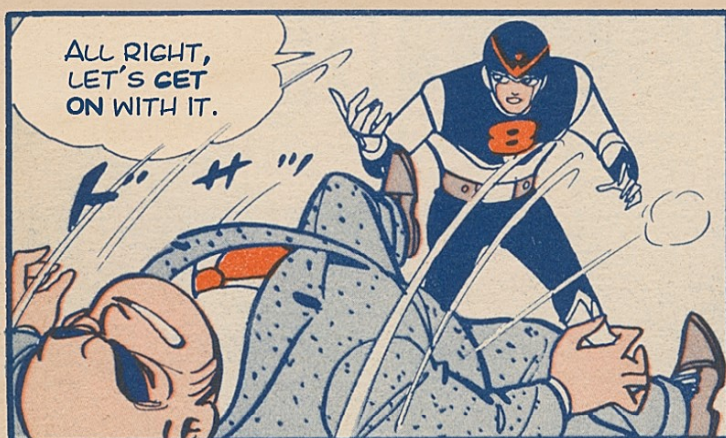
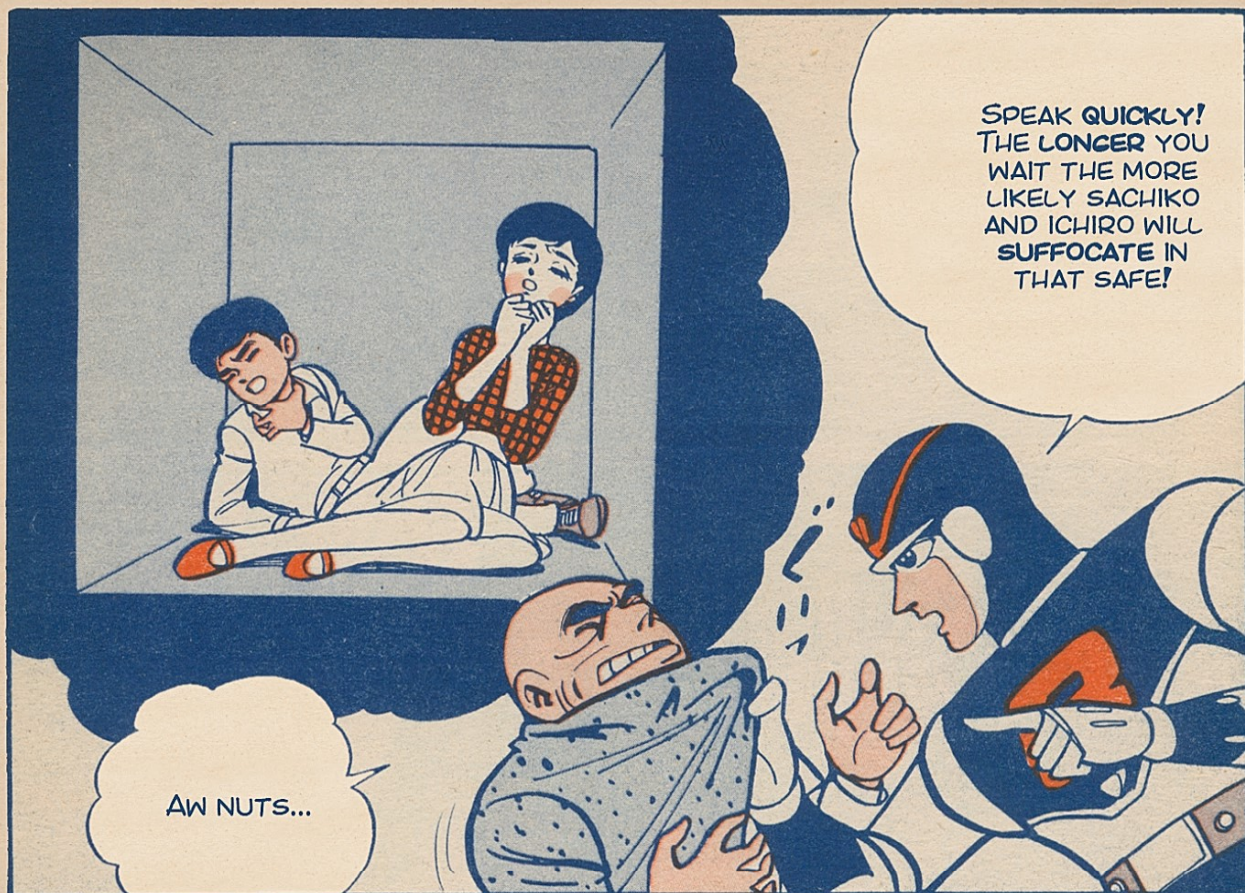


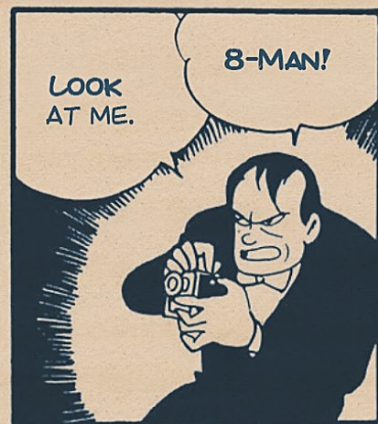
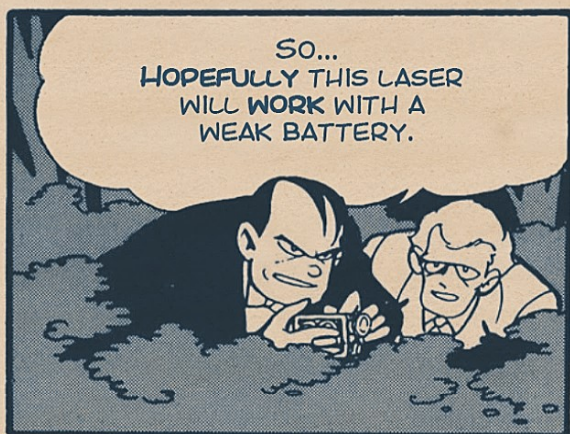










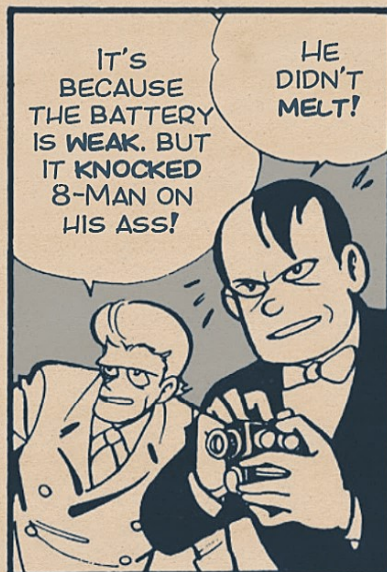




WHERE'S KITO?
MY EYES ARE
DAMAGED AND
I CAN'T SEE
ANYTHING.

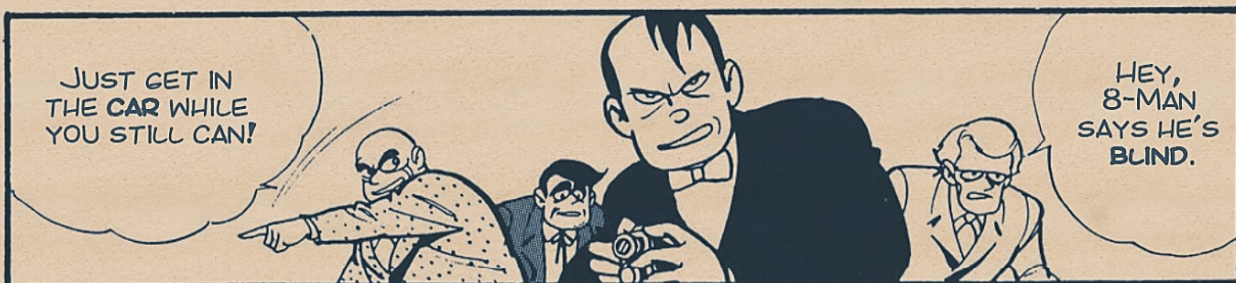


UH OH,
HE'S BACK
UP!



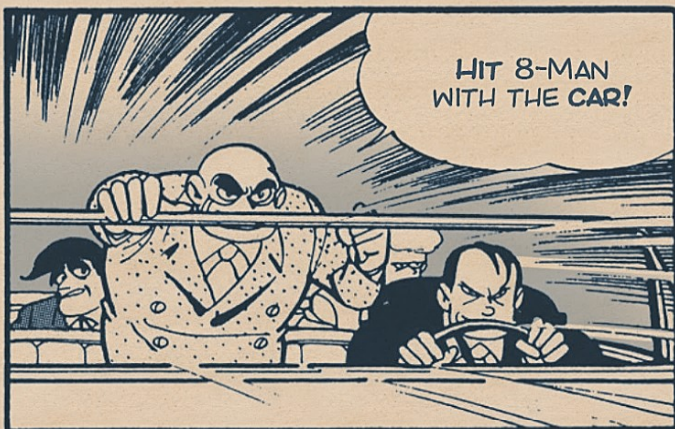
IT'S
BECAUSE
THE BATTERY
IS WEAK. BUT
IT KNOCKED
8-MAN ON
HIS ASS!

HE
DIDN'T
MELT!



JUST GET IN
THE CAR WHILE
YOU STILL CAN!

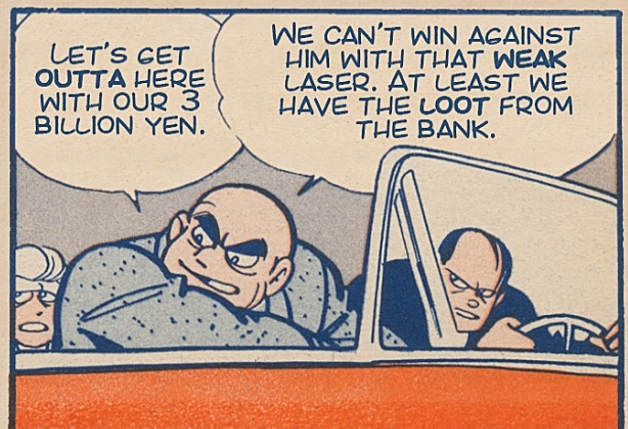
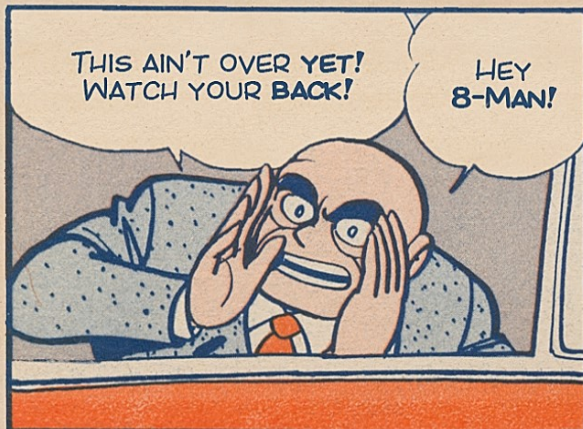
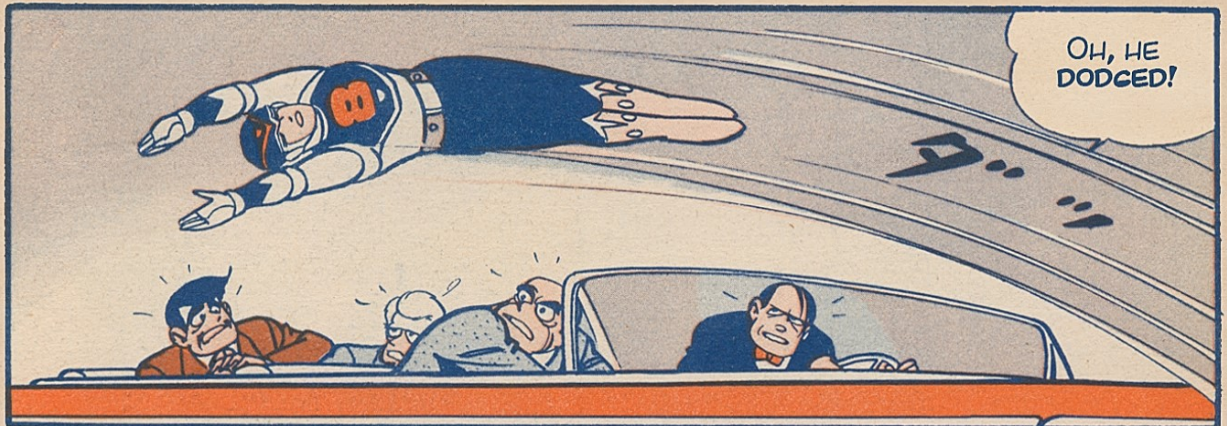
HEY,
8-MAN
SAYS HE'S
BLIND.

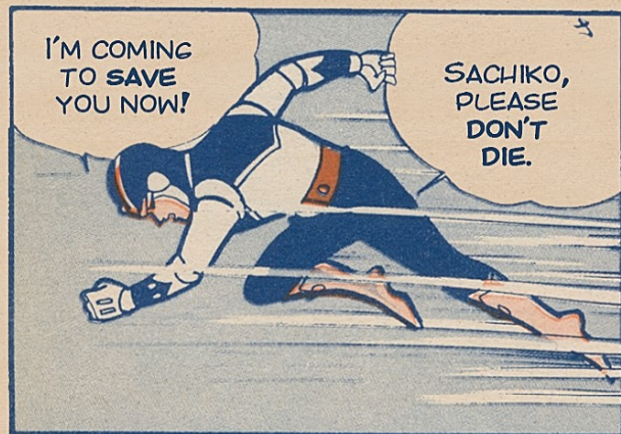
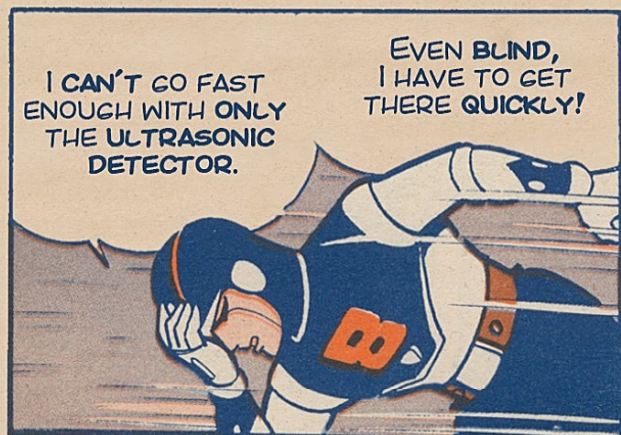


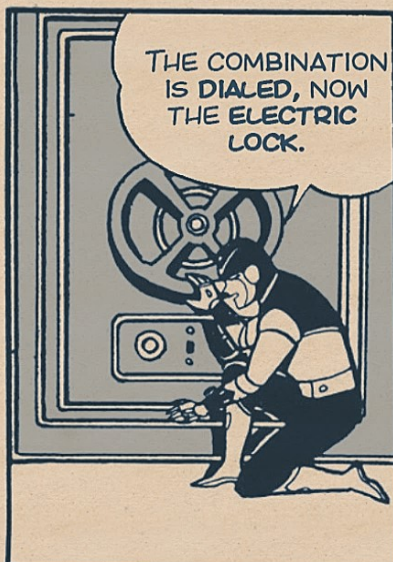
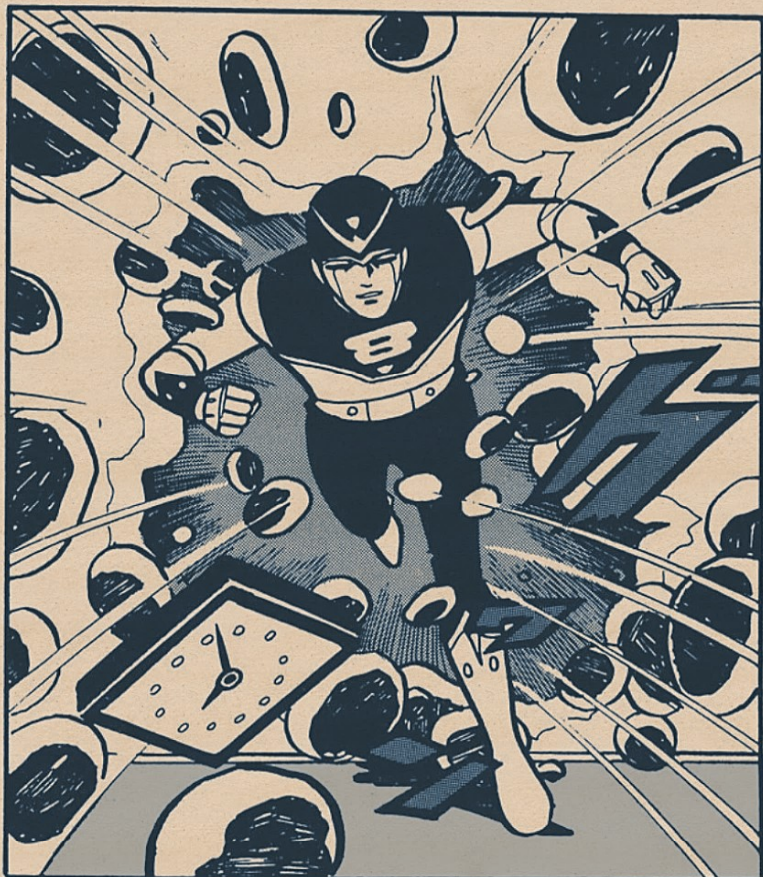
HIT 8-MAN
WITH THE CAR!

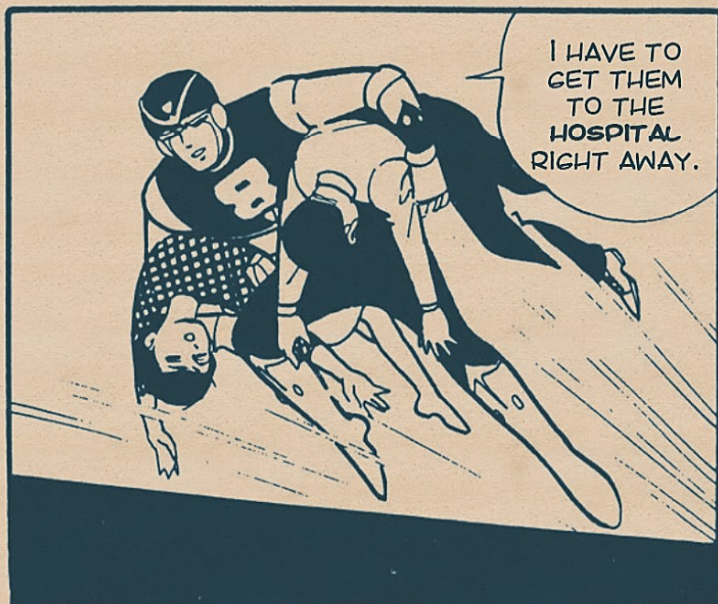
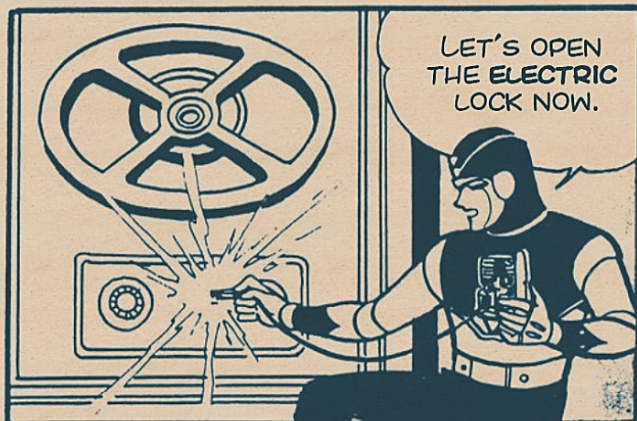


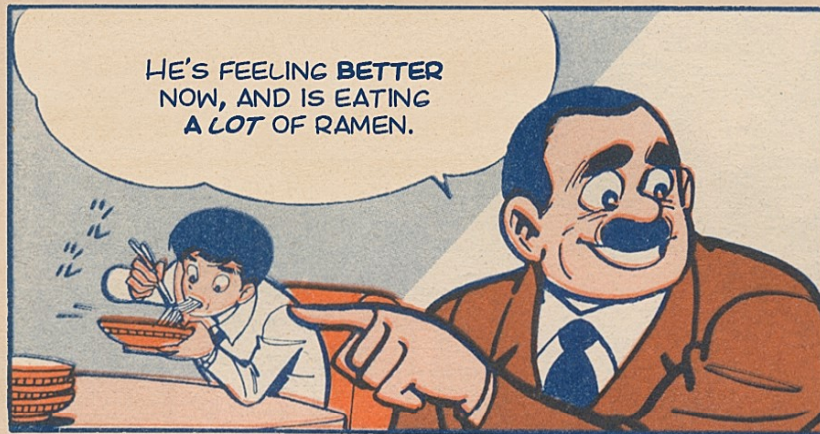
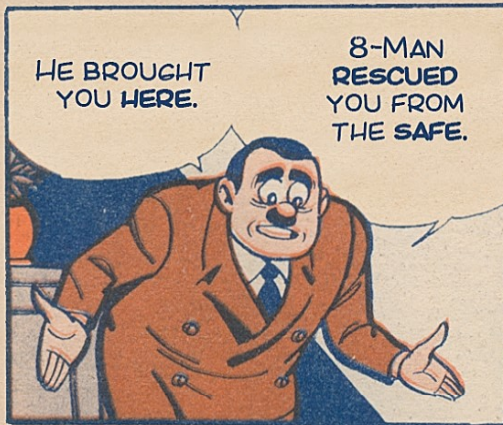
WELL, EVEN WITH
THE ELECTRONIC LENSES
KNOCKED OUT, I STILL
HAVE MY ULTRASONIC
DETECTOR.

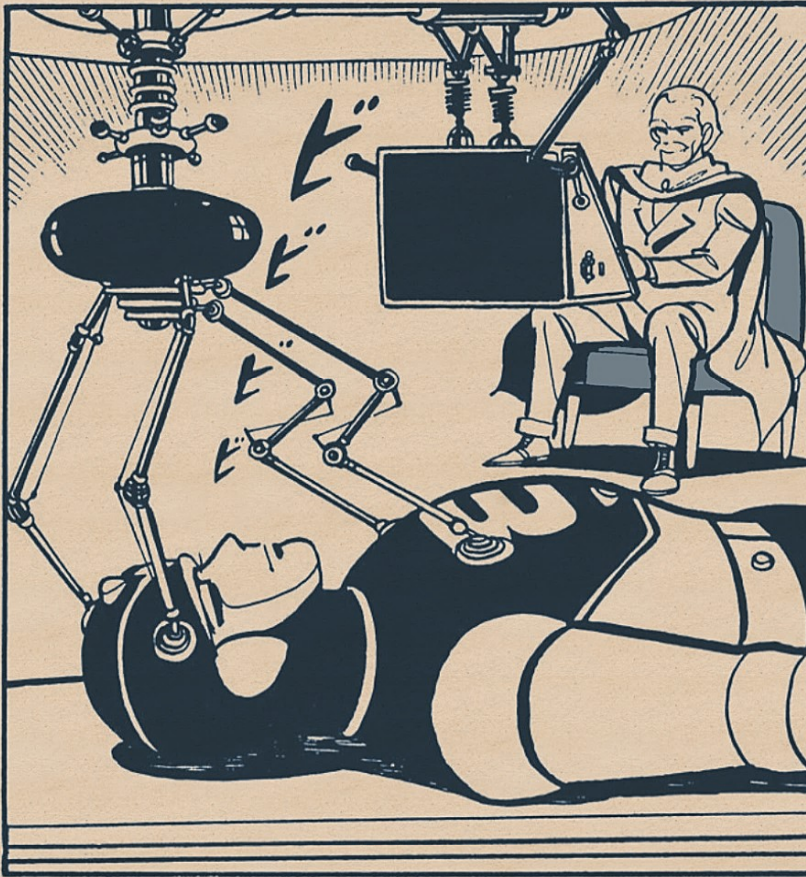




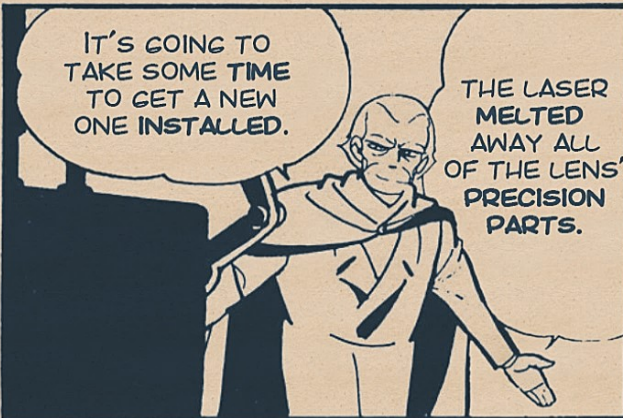






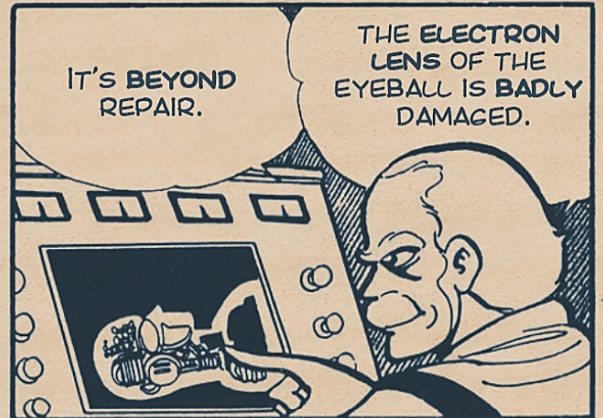


MEANWHILE, 8-MAN
IS BEING WORKED ON
AT DR. TANI'S LAB...



IT'S GOING TO
TAKE SOME TIME
TO GET A NEW
ONE INSTALLED.

THE LASER
MELTED
AWAY ALL
OF THE LENS'
PRECISION
PARTS.



IT'S BEYOND
REPAIR.

THE ELECTRON
LENS OF THE
EYEBALL IS BADLY
DAMAGED.



OH NO...
FIVE
DAYS
...

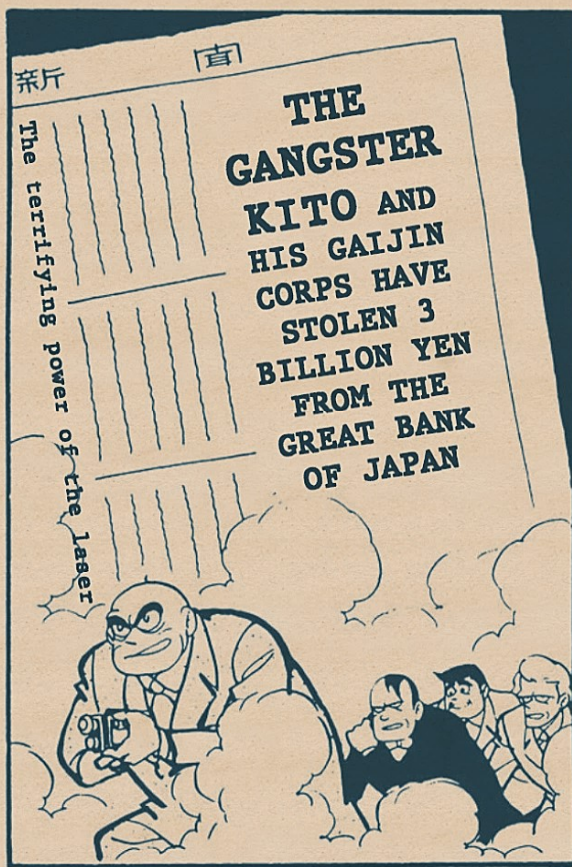
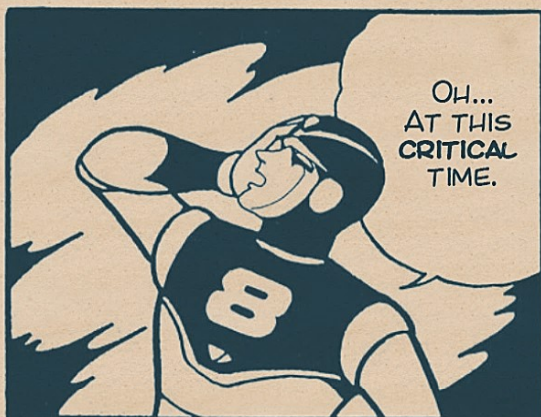
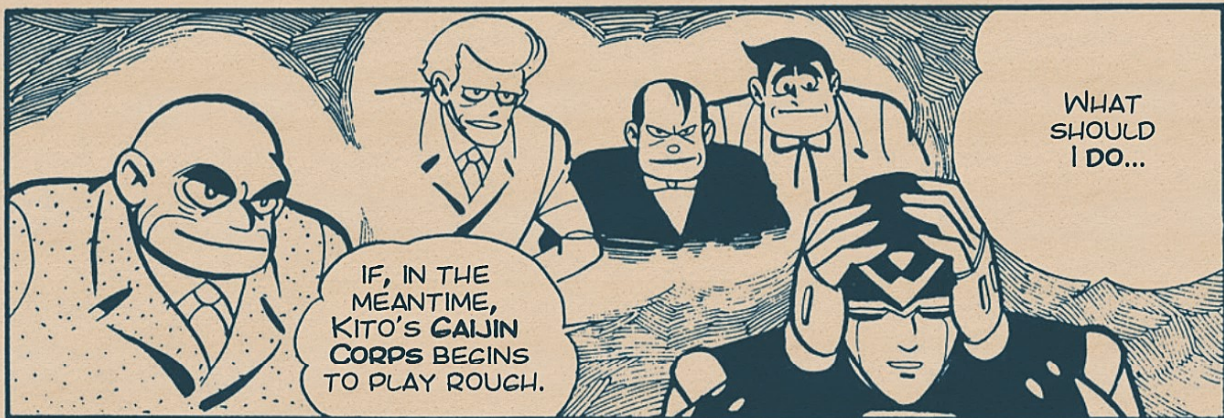


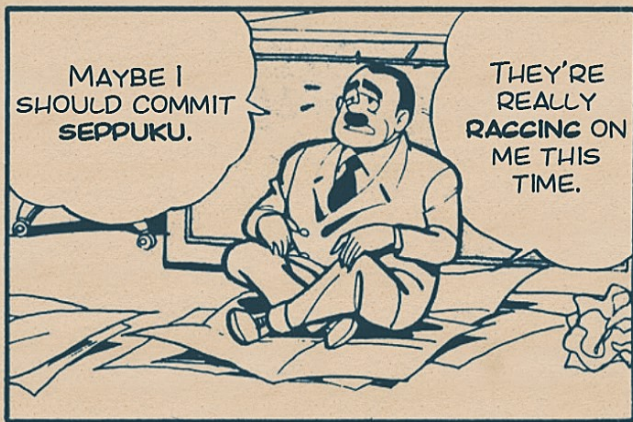
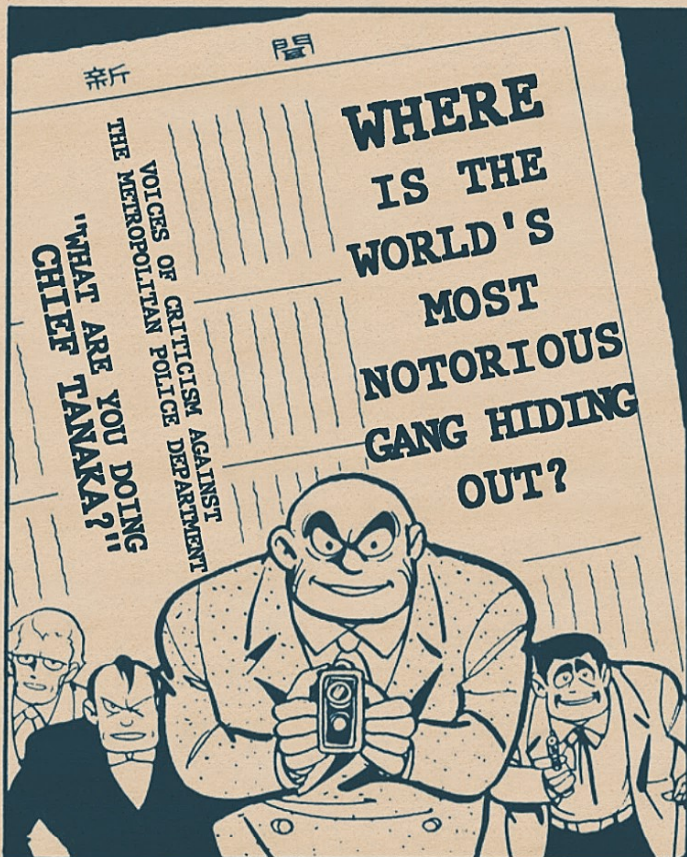
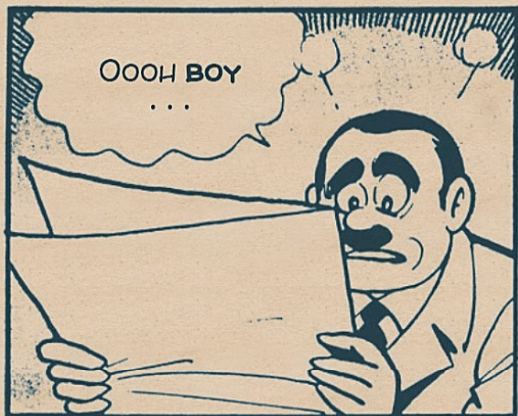
EVEN IF I
HURRY, IT
WILL TAKE
FIVE
DAYS.

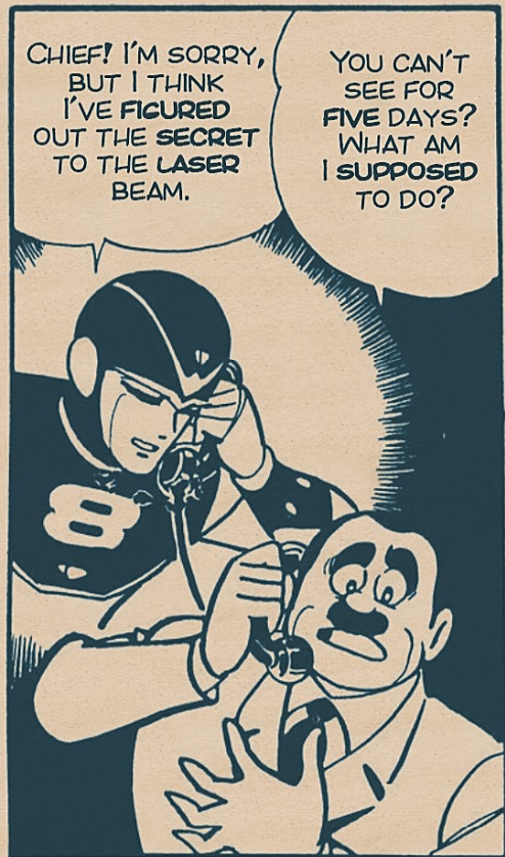


HOW LONG
ARE WE
TALKING
ABOUT?

IF IT'S
GOING
TO TAKE
A WHILE,





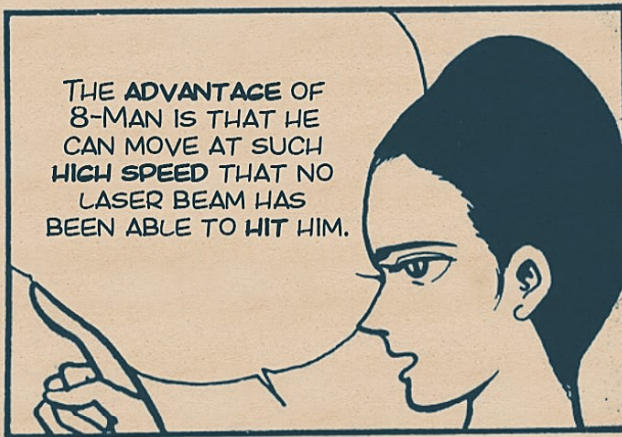
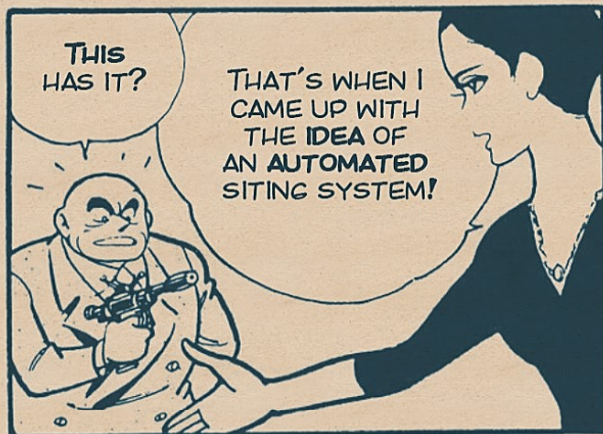
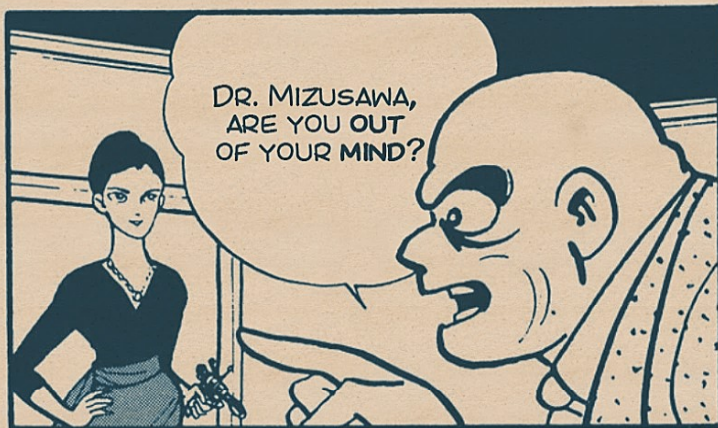


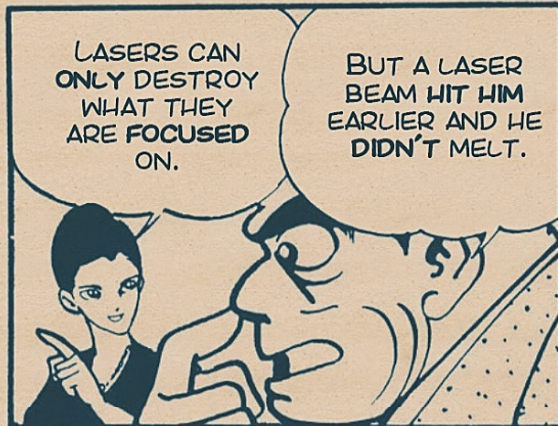
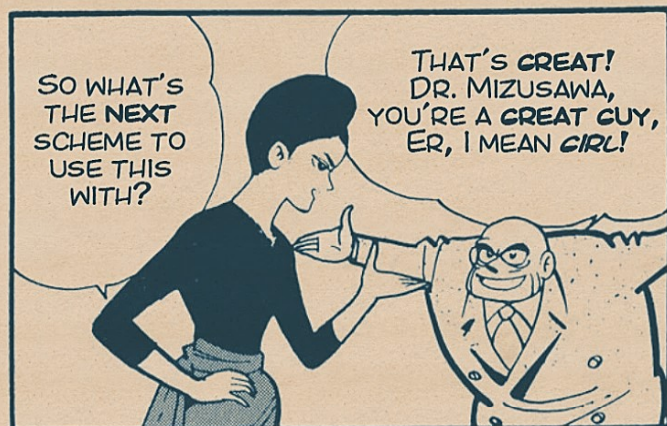
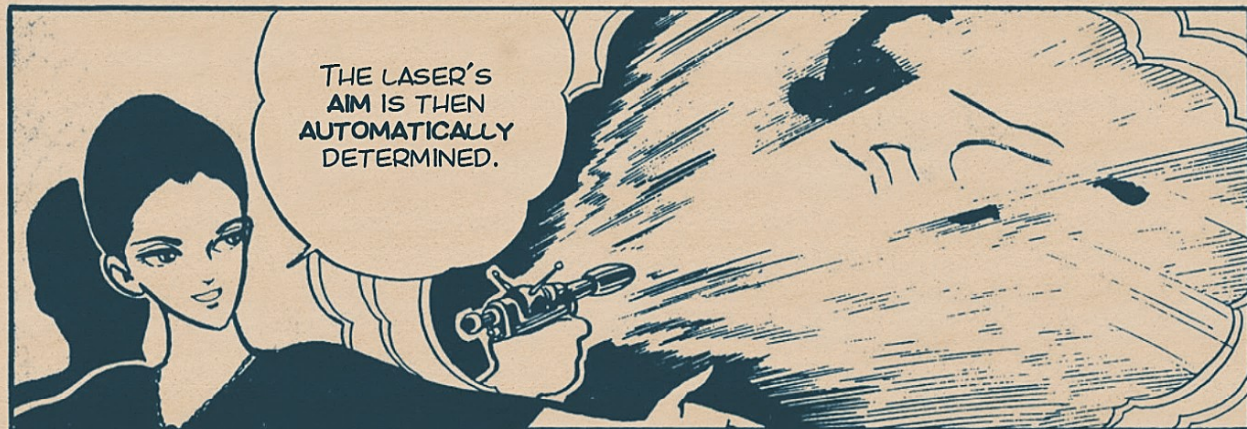
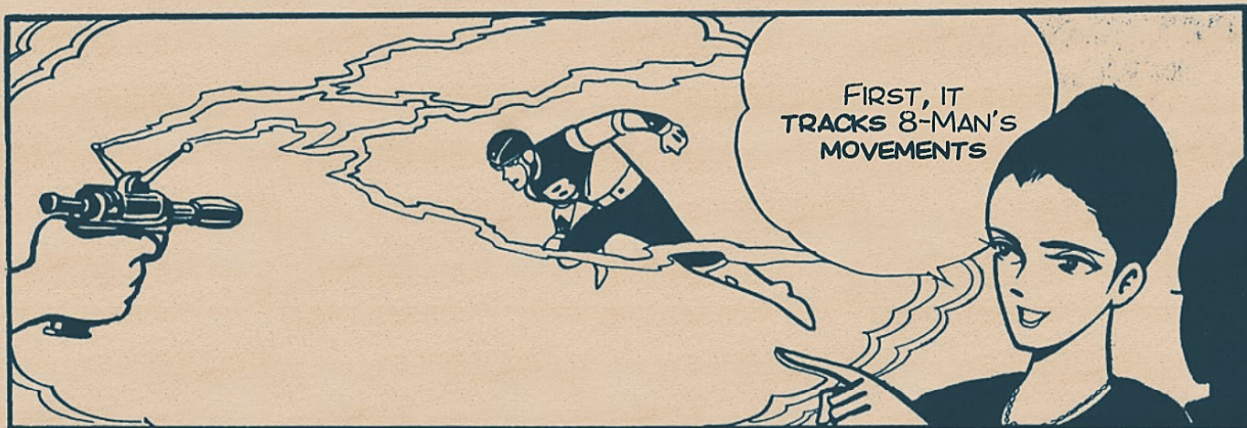


MEAN-
WHILE
AT KITO'S
HIDEOUT

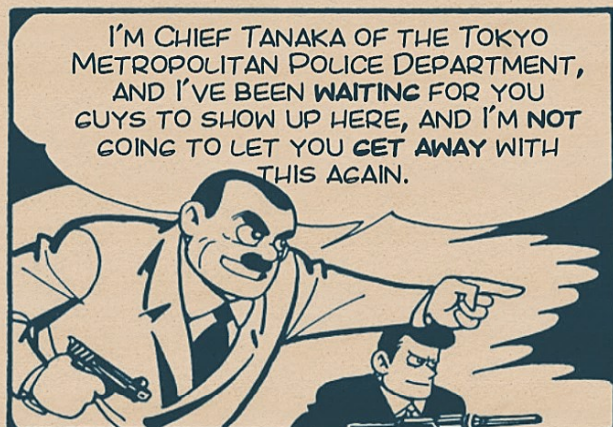
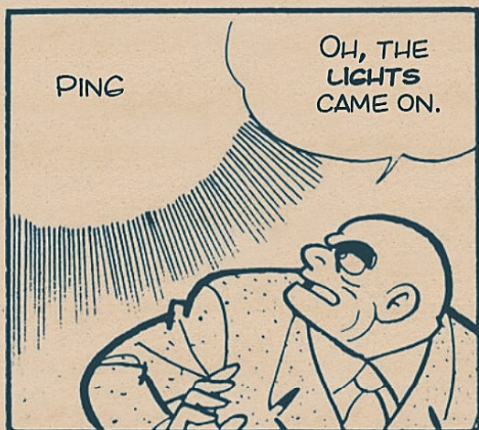










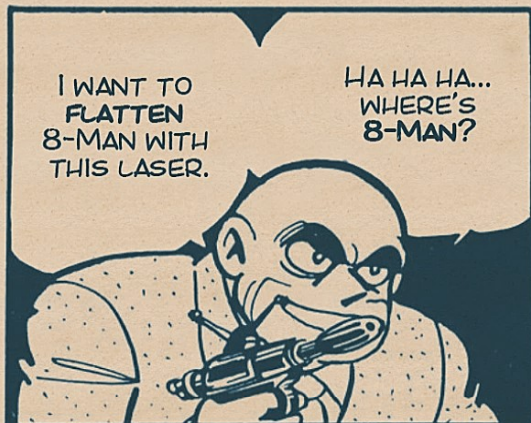




BLAST
'EM!

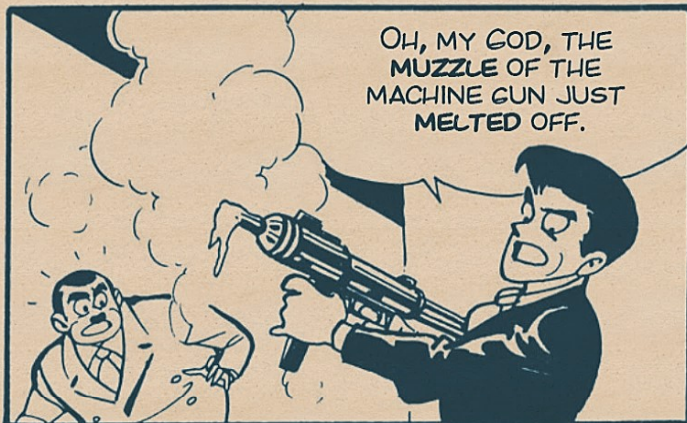


JUST TRY
IT. LET'S
HAVE SOME
FUN!



I WANT TO
FLATTEN
8-MAN WITH
THIS LASER.

HA HA HA...
WHERE'S
8-MAN?

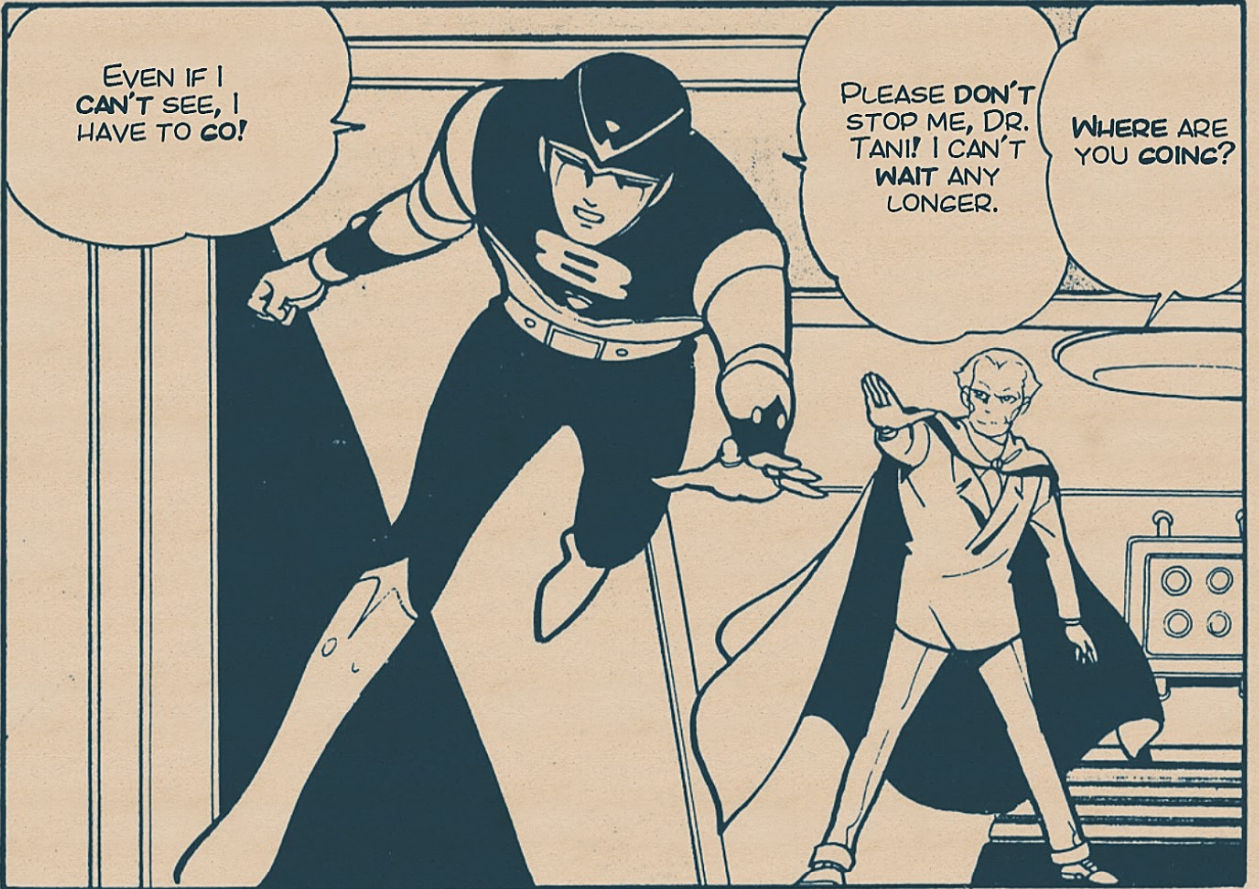
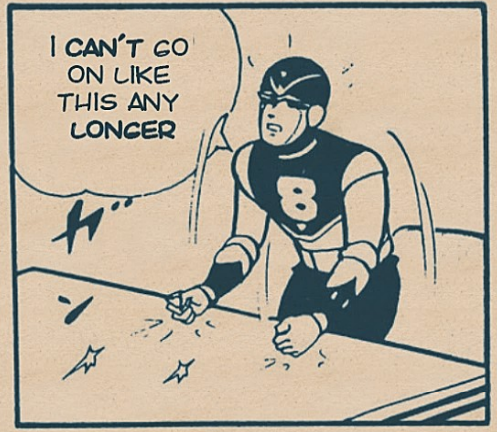


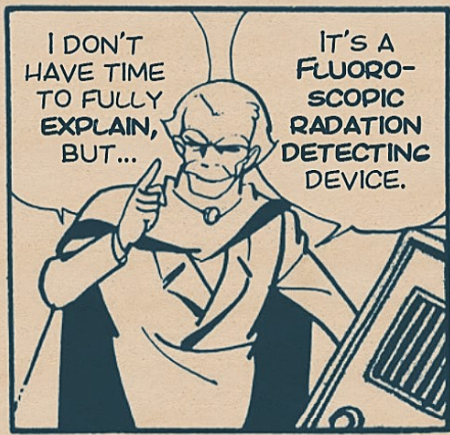
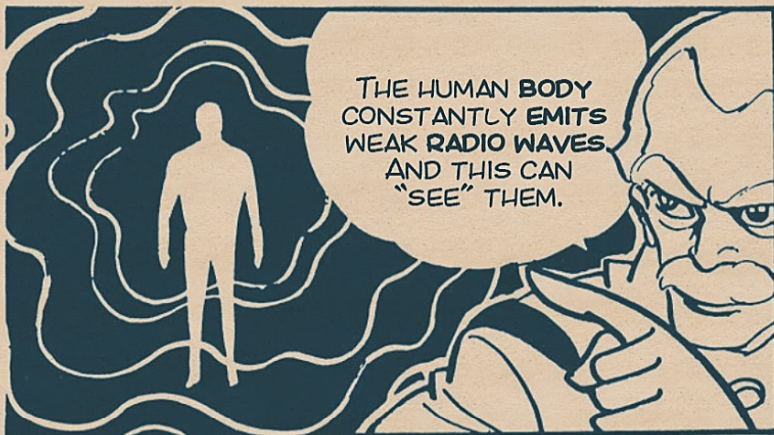
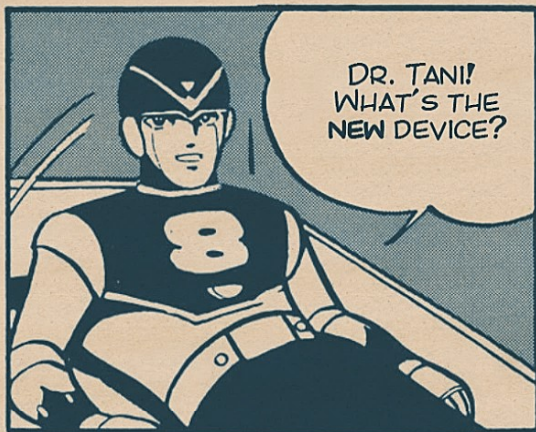
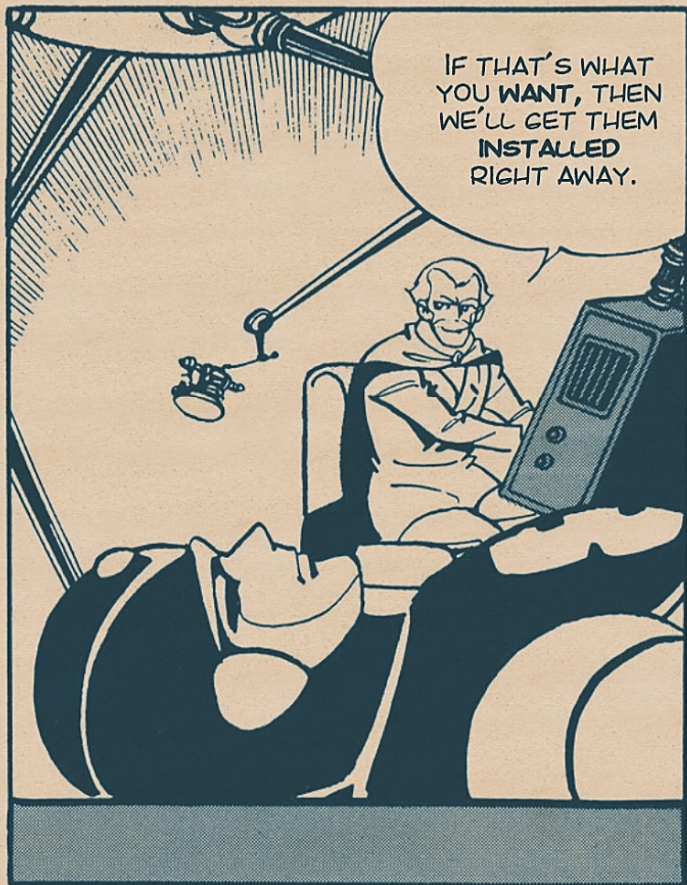
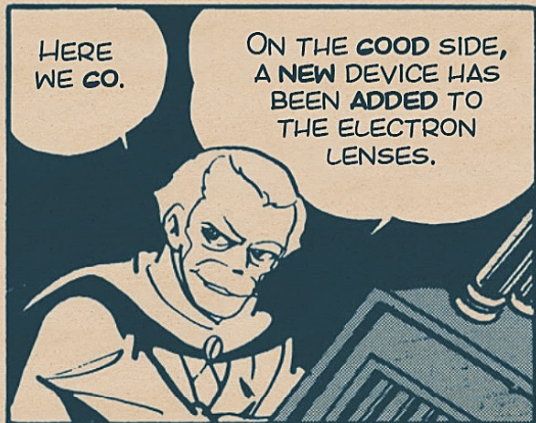
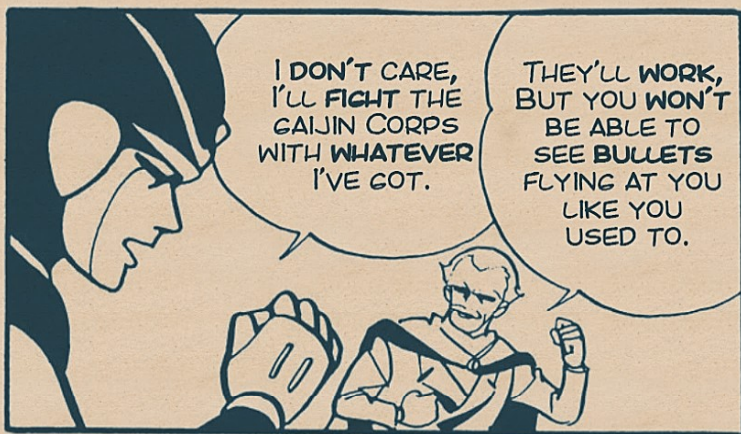
OH, MY GOD, THE
MUZZLE OF THE
MACHINE GUN JUST
MELTED OFF.

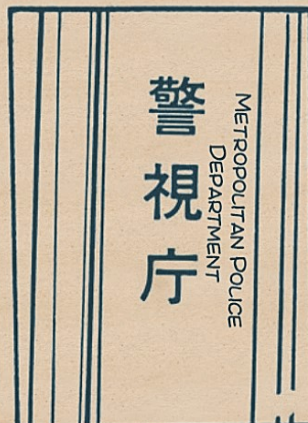
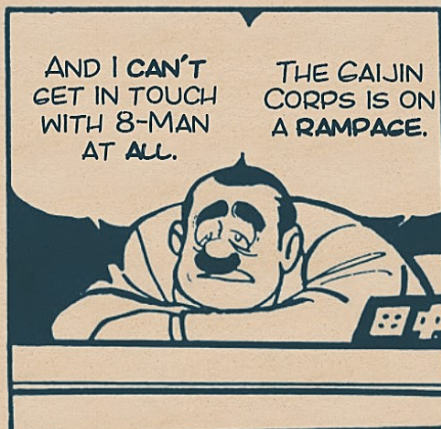
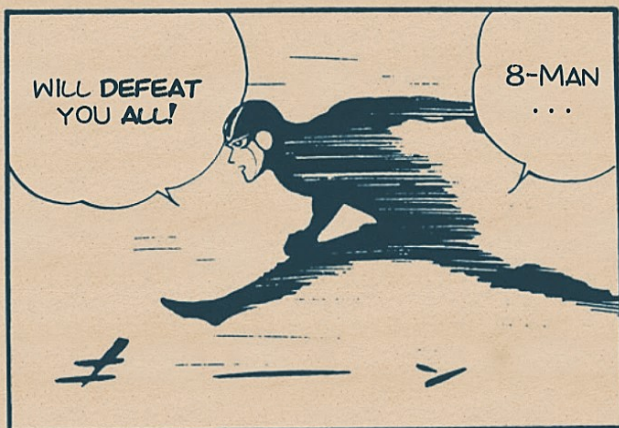
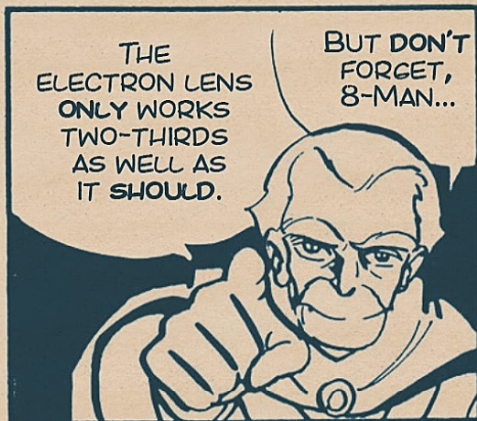
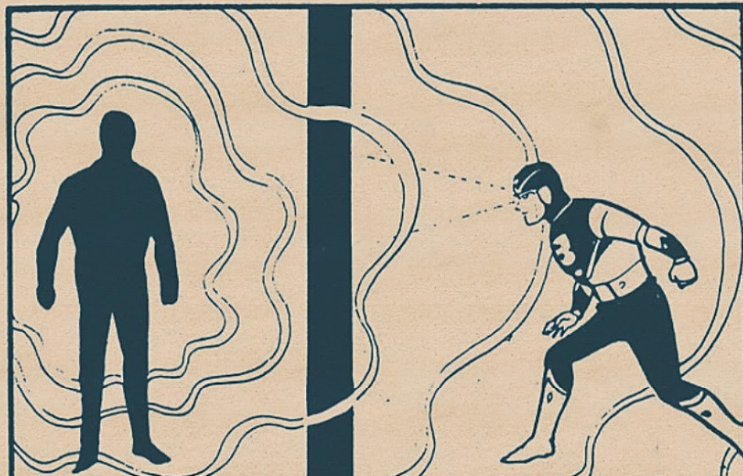
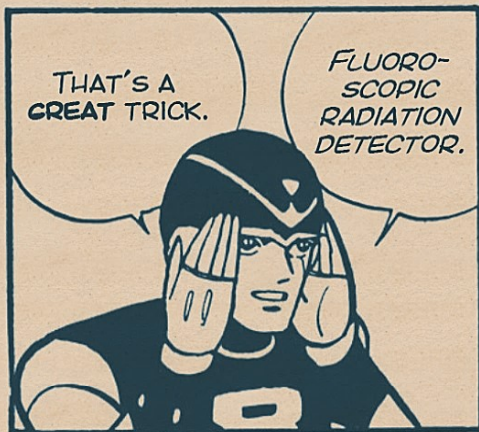


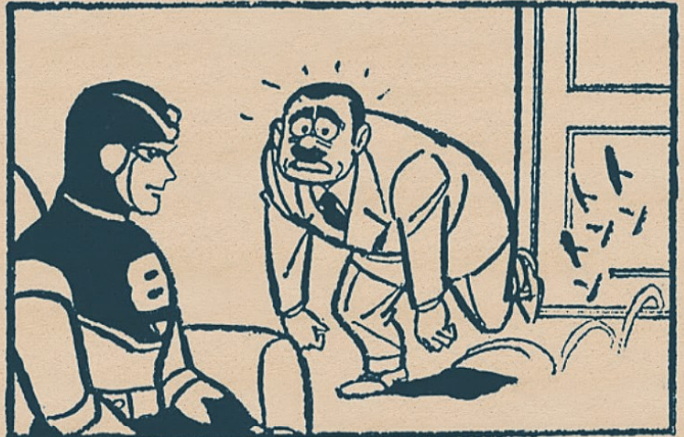
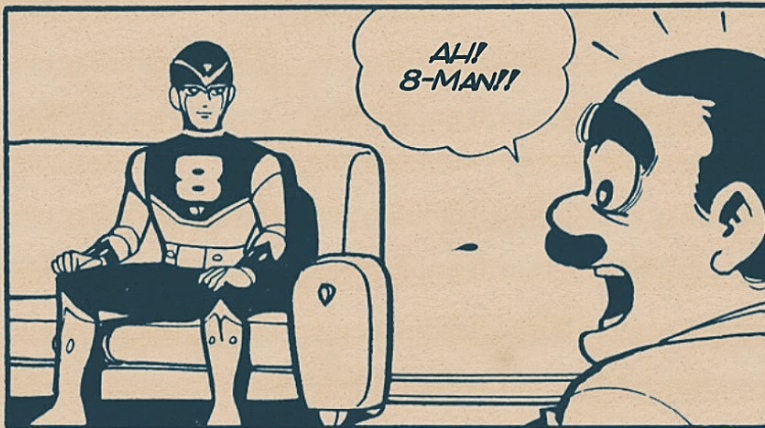
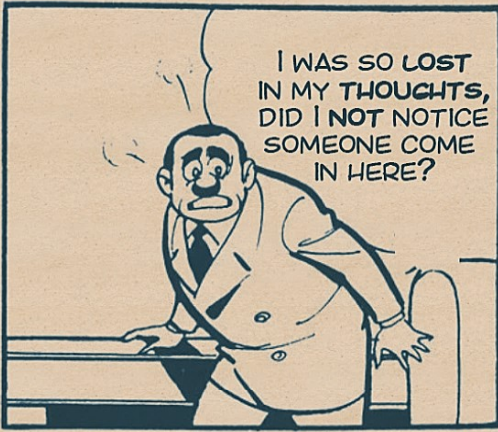
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MORE DAYS TO
FIX MY LASER-
DAMAGED EYES.

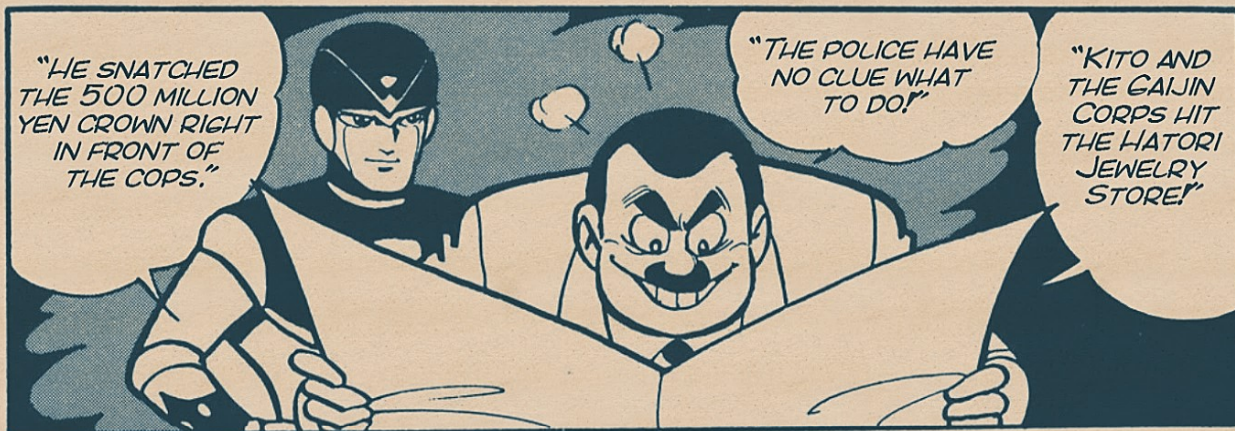
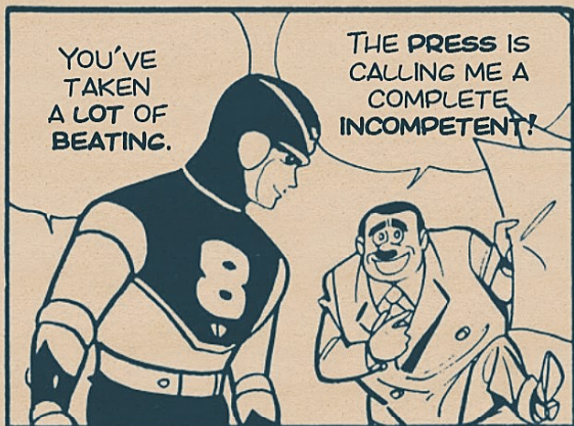
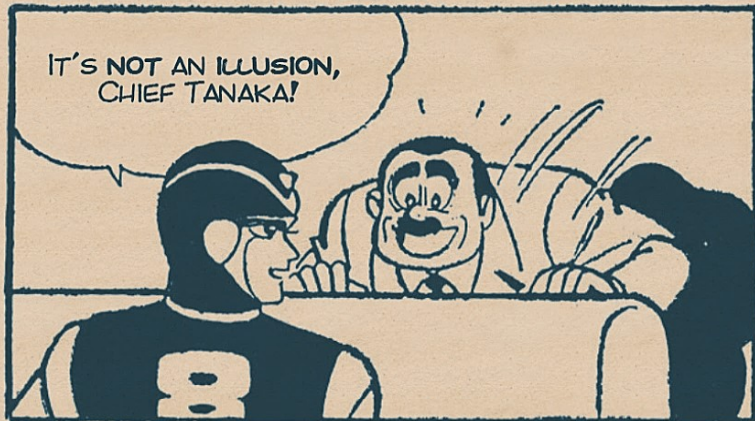
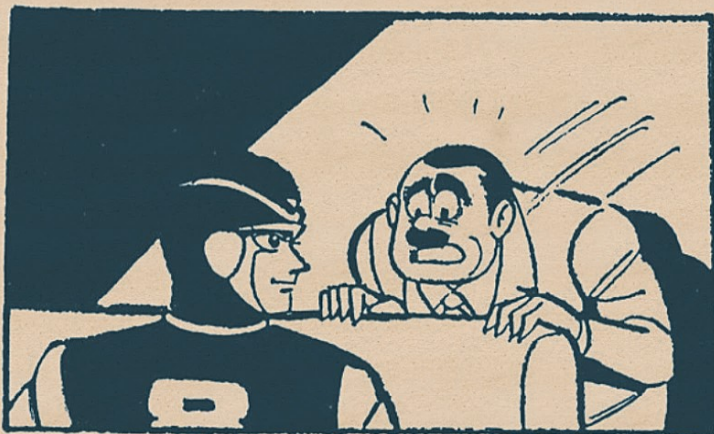
IN THE MEANTIME,
KITO AND HIS GAIJIN
CORPS ARE STILL AT IT.

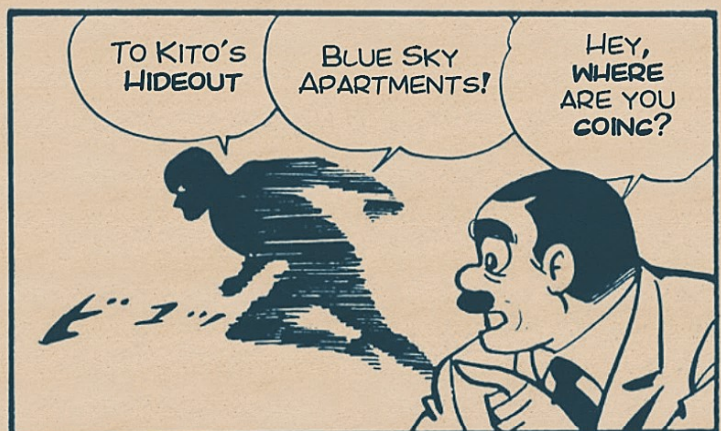
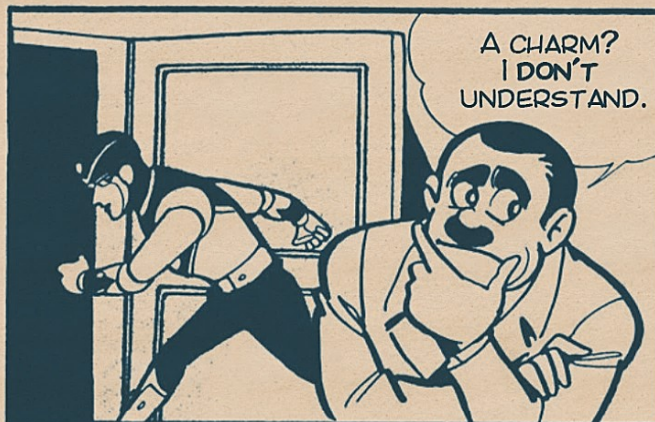
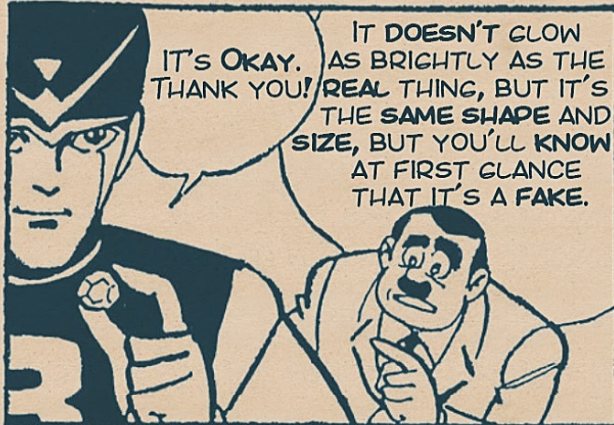
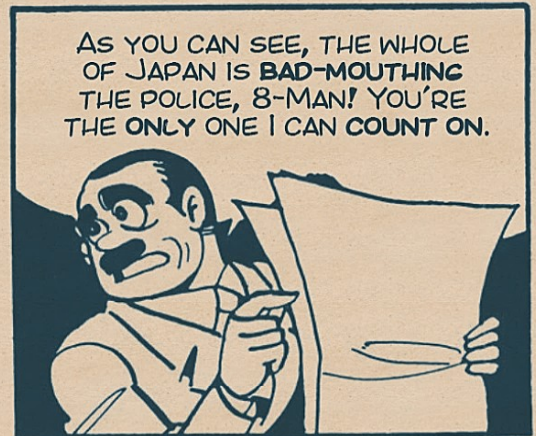
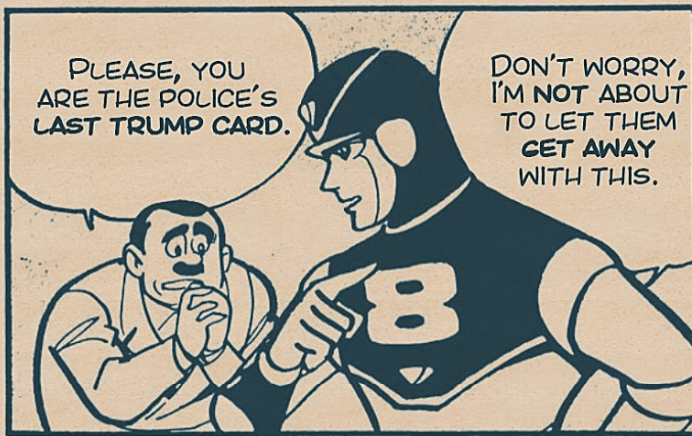


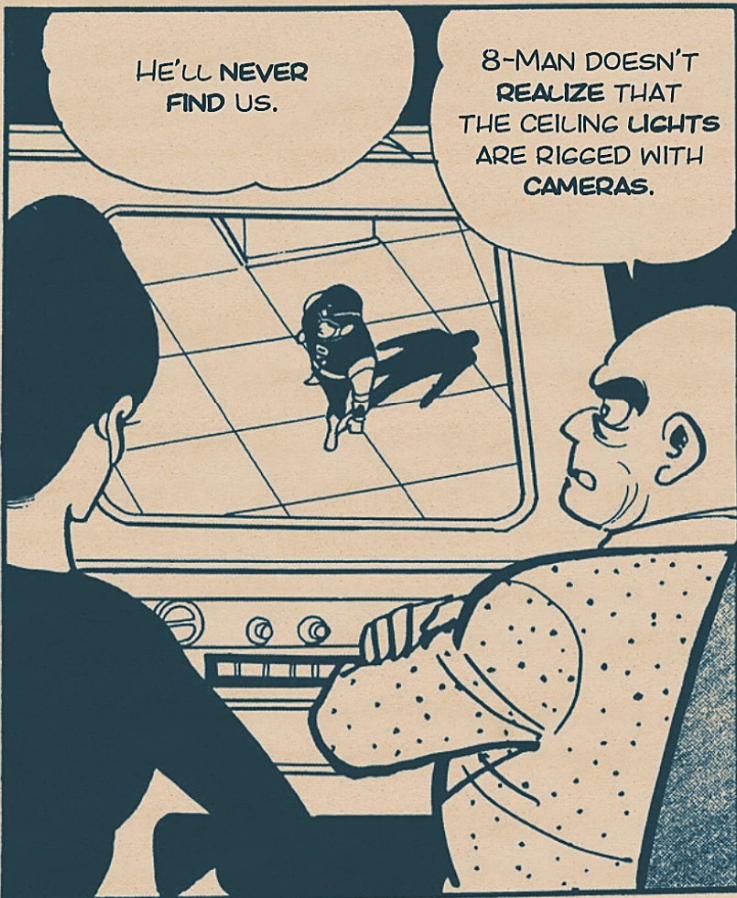
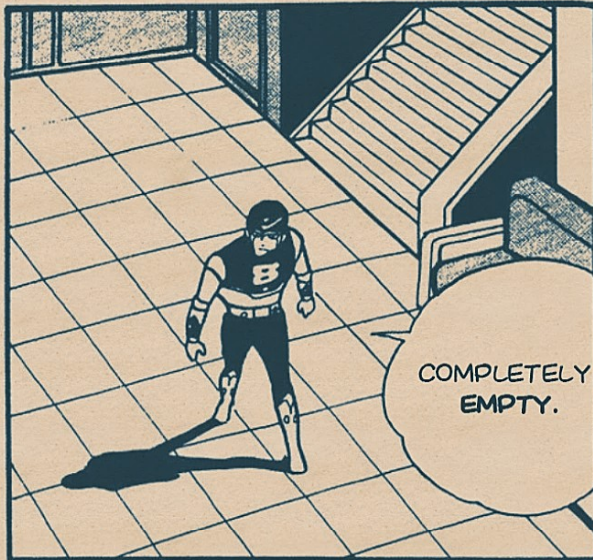


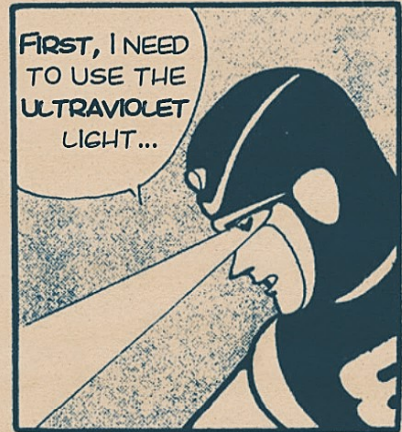
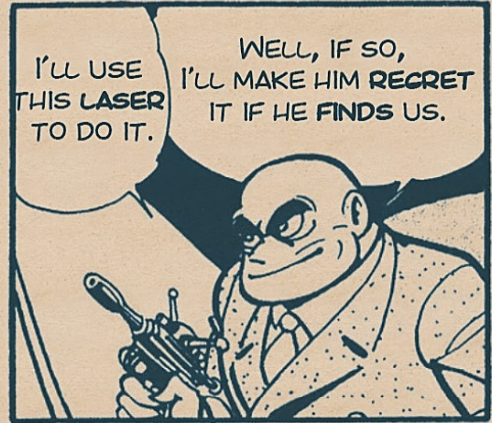


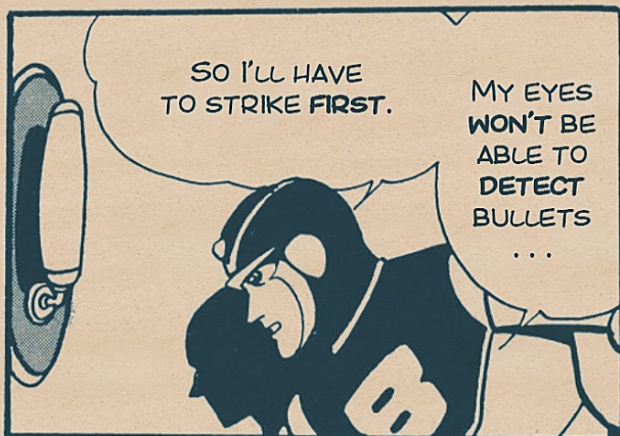
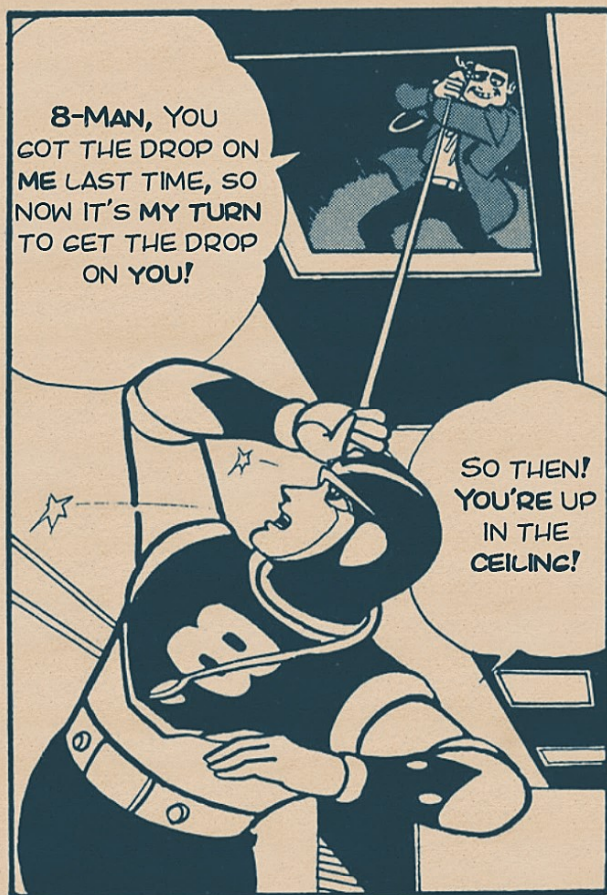
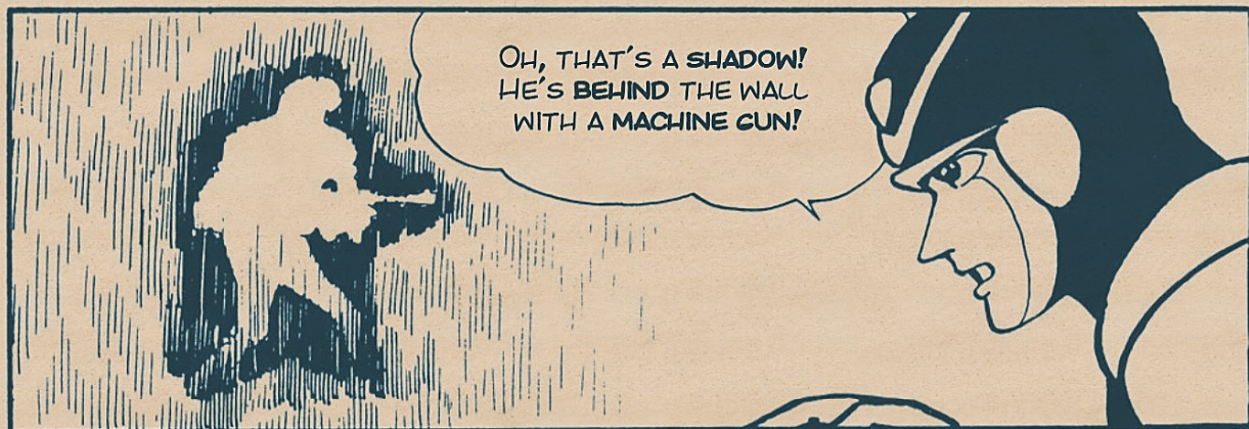
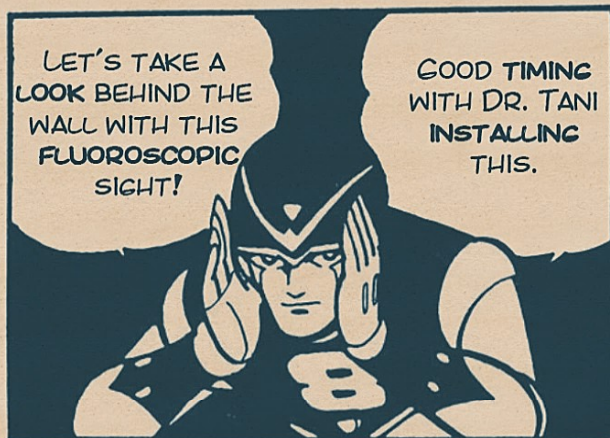


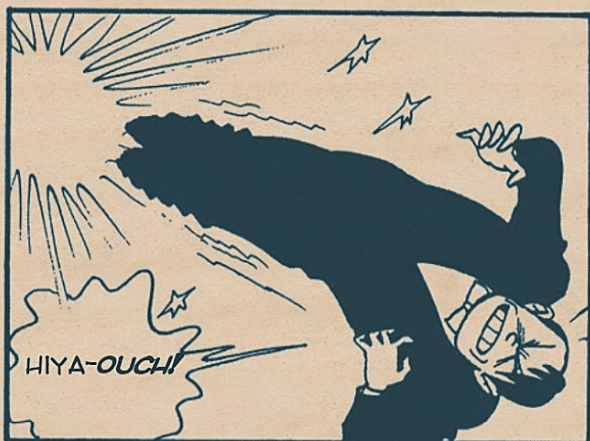
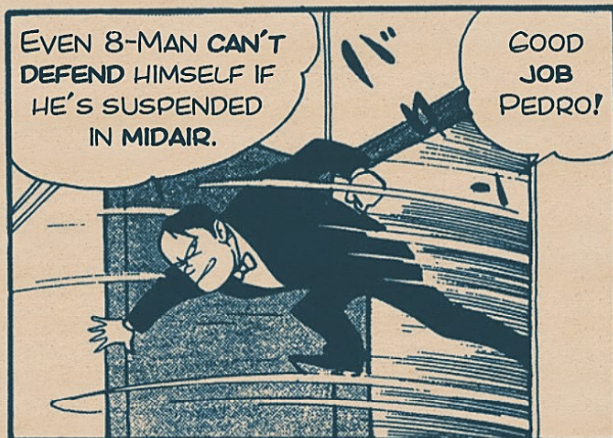
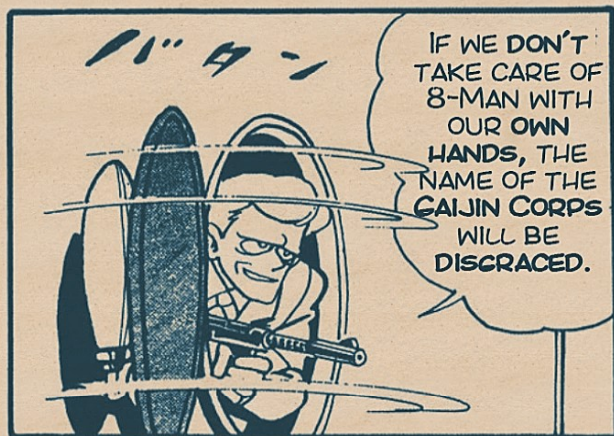


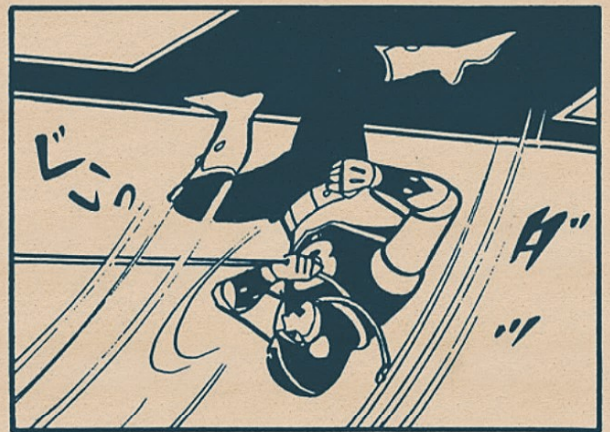
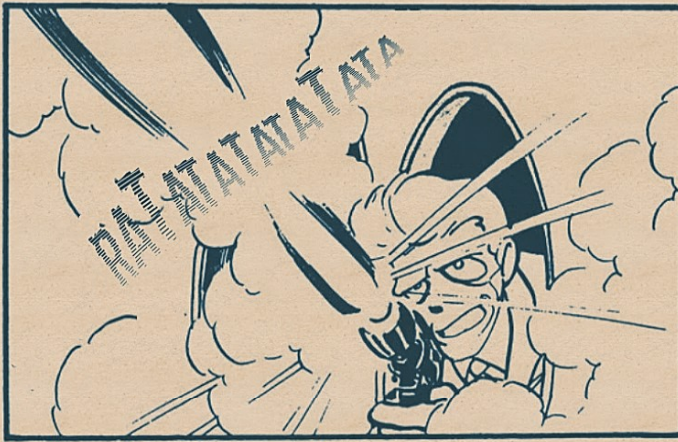


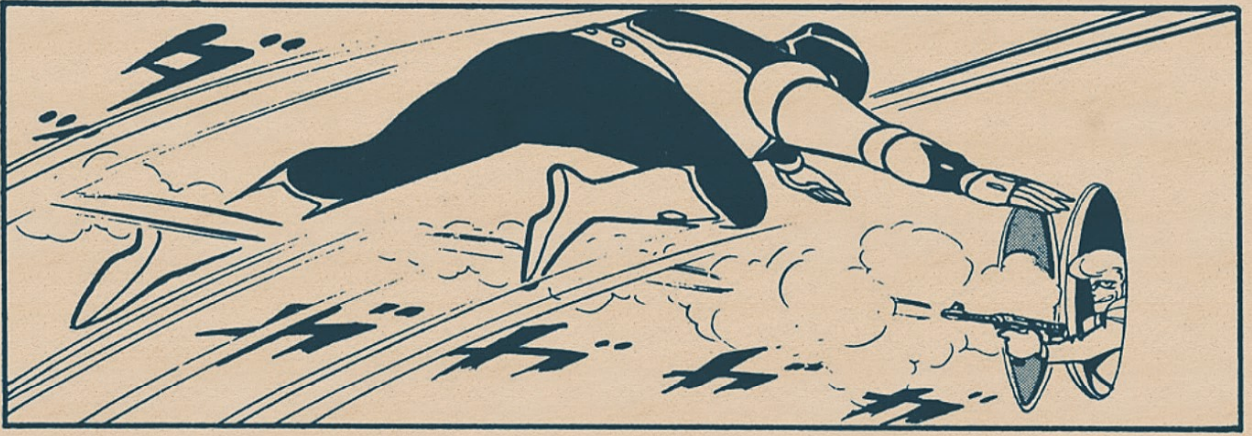














NOW, WHERE'S
YOUR BOSS, KITO?

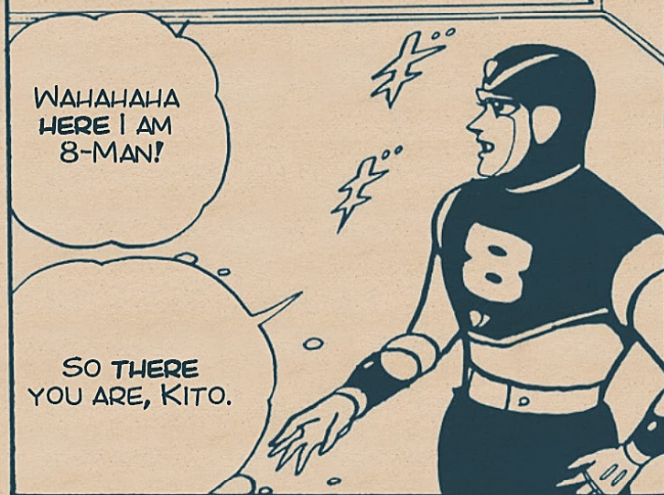
THE GAIJIN
CORPS HAS BEEN
RETIRED.



I'M GLAD
YOU COULD
MAKE IT. I'LL
GIVE YOU A
PROPER
WELCOME!

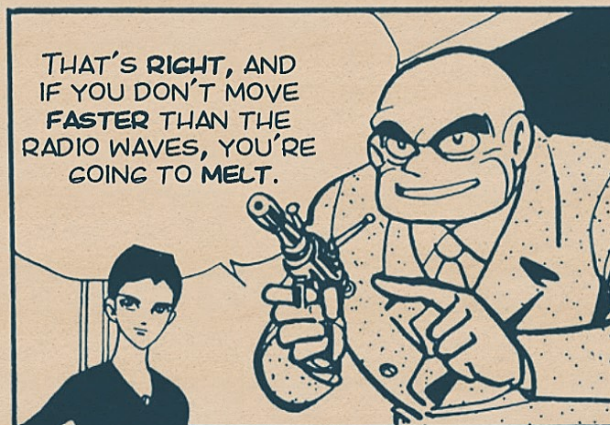
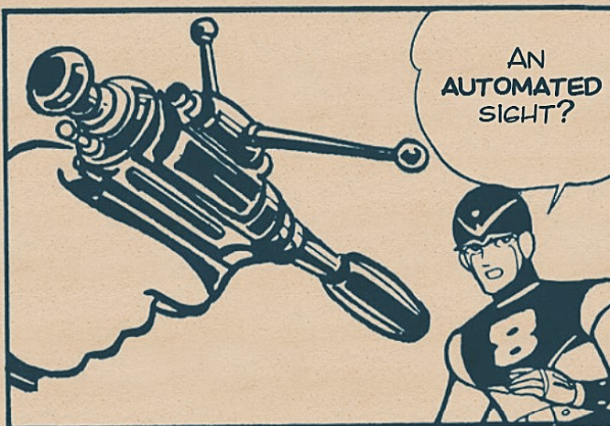
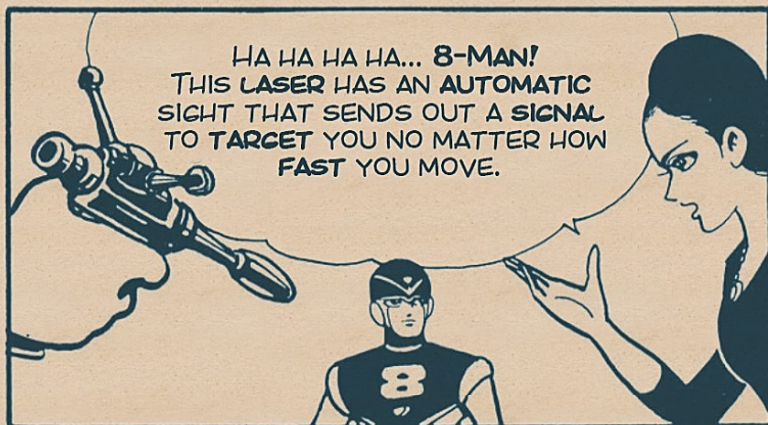
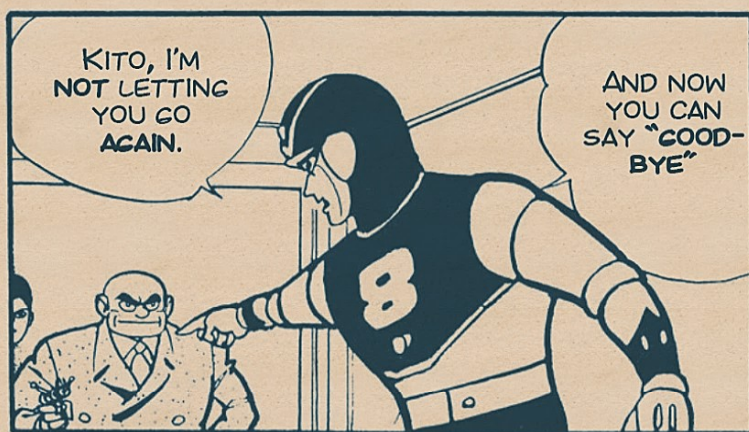


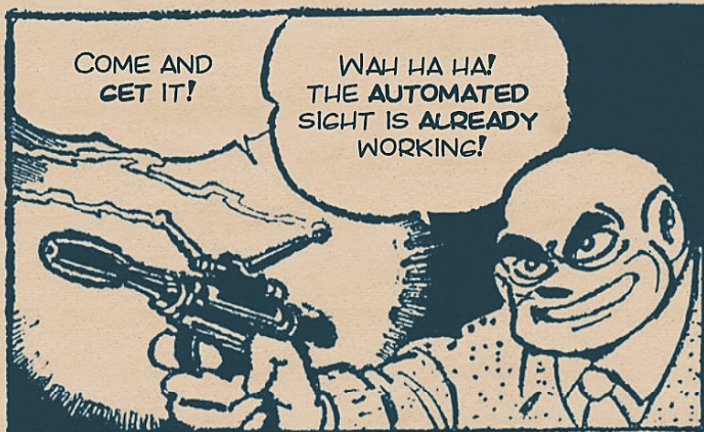
NO WORRIES,
THE GAIJIN
CORPS HAS
DONE IT
FOR YOU.



WAHAHAHA
HERE I AM
8-MAN!

SO THERE
YOU ARE, KITO.





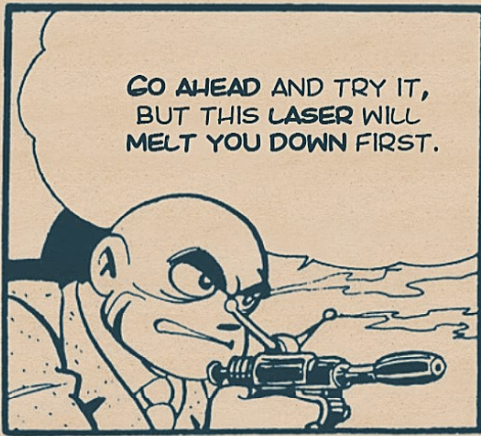
COME AND
GET IT!

WAH HA HA!
THE AUTOMATED
SIGHT IS ALREADY
WORKING!



ONE STEP AND YOU'LL
MELT AWAY IN AN INSTANT!

ARCH!
THERE'S NO WAY
TO ESCAPE FROM
THAT LASER.



GO AHEAD AND TRY IT,
BUT THIS LASER WILL
MELT YOU DOWN FIRST.



WAAAAH HA HA HA
YOU CAN'T MESS
WITH ME.



WAH HA H HA!
HOW ABOUT THAT,
8-MAN! YOU MUST BE
MAD 'CUZ YOU WANT
TO GET AT US
AND CAN'T!

UMM, THE RADIO
WAVES ARE TRACKING
ME. IF I MOVE IN ONE
STEP, I'LL BE ZAPPED!



EH?

HA!



YOU REALLY
KNOCKED ME FOR
A LOOP BACK THERE,
AND I'M STILL A
LITTLE LIGHTEADED.



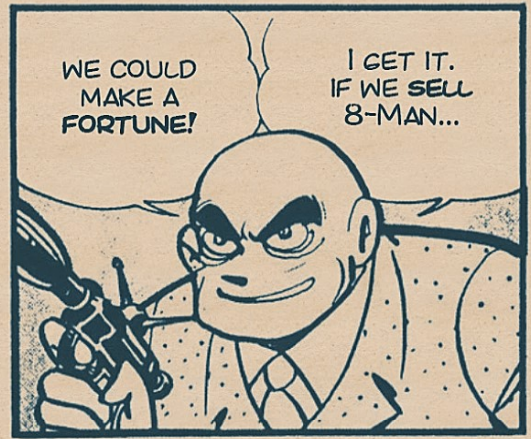
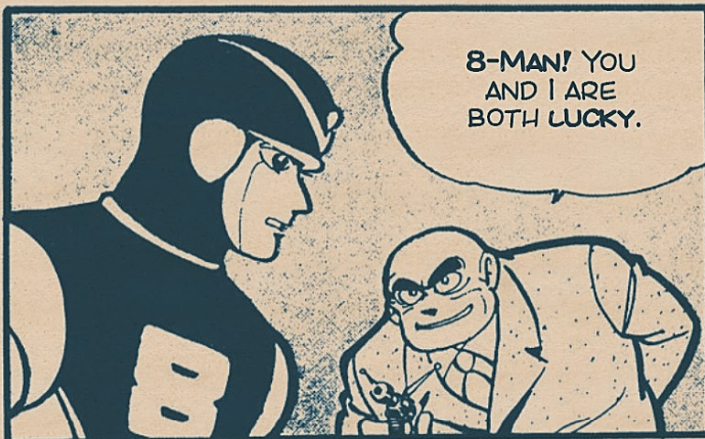
SAY GOOD-
BYE!

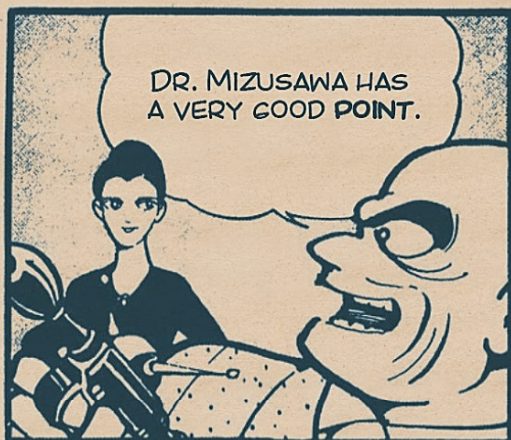


COME ON, WE'RE
WASTING TIME,
IT'S TIME TO
EVAPORATE THIS
SCHMUCK!



WAH HA HA HA!





DR. MIZUSAWA HAS
A VERY GOOD POINT.



YOU DON'T GET
MELTED TO SLAG
AND I CAN MAKE
MONEY.



DR.
MIZUSAWA,
I'LL LEAVE
YOU IN
CHARGE
OF 8 MAN.



I'M GOING TO HAVE A
DRINK WITH THE GAJIN CORPS.
HA HAHHA

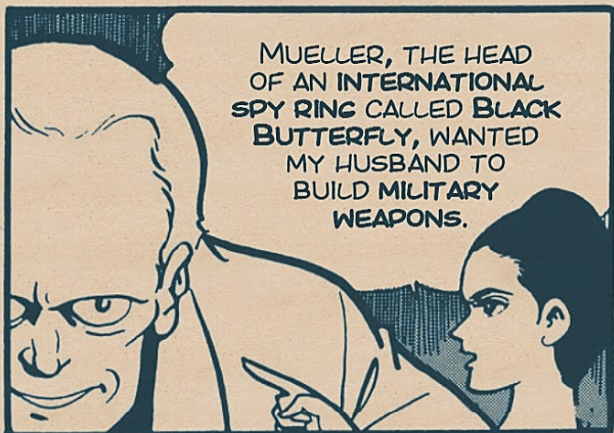
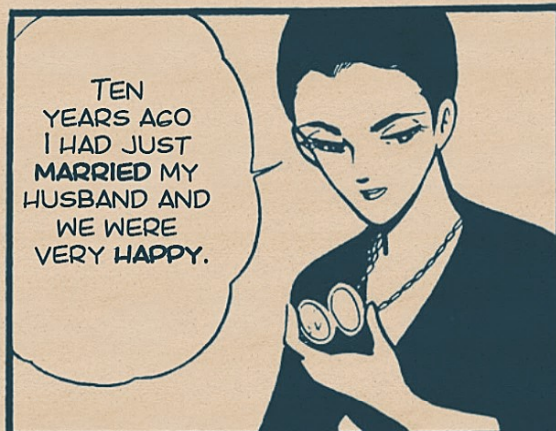
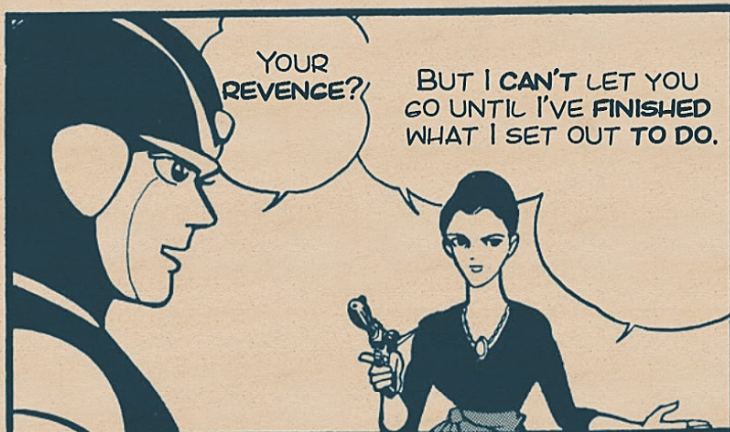
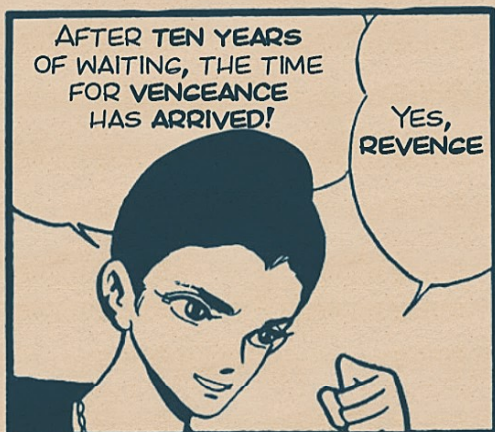


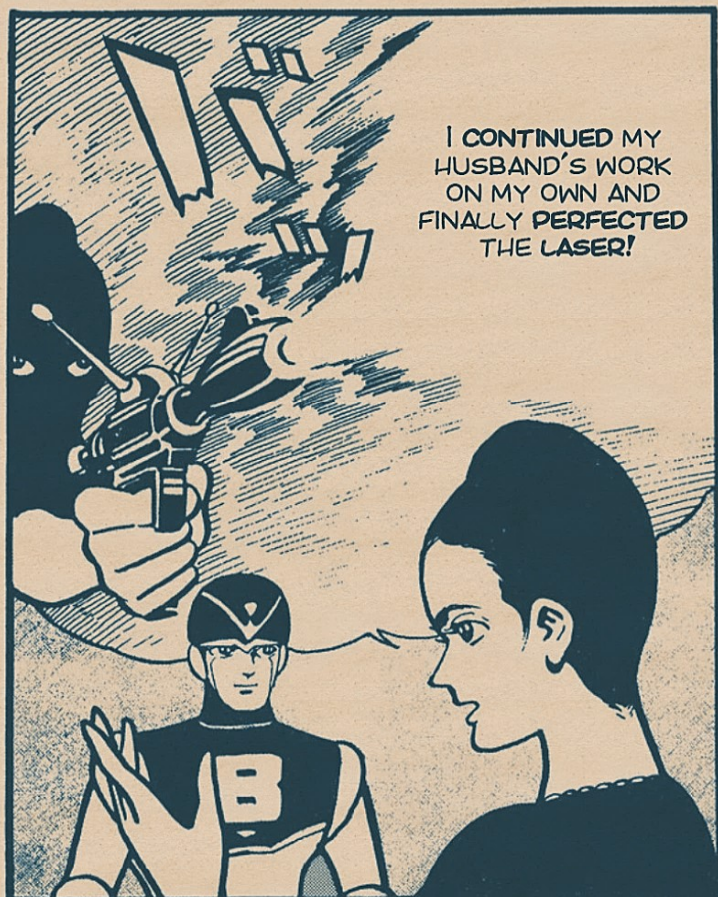
YOU SAVED MY
LITTLE BOY AND I'M
JUST RETURNING
THE FAVOR.



WHY DID
YOU SAVE
ME?

DR.
MIZU-
SAWA!

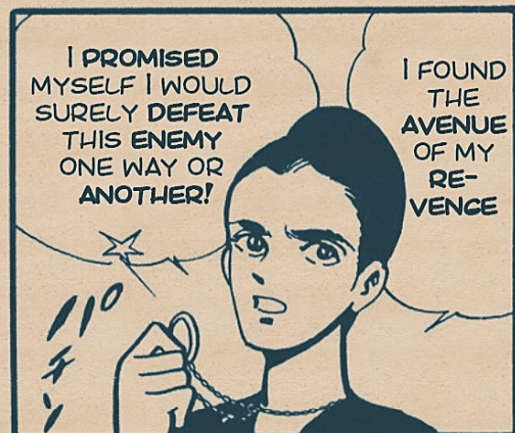




I CONTINUED MY HUSBAND'S WORK ON MY OWN AND FINALLY PERFECTED THE LASER!



BUT MY HUSBAND REFUSED TO COOPERATE, SO HE WAS KILLED.



I PROMISED MYSELF I WOULD SURELY DEFEAT THIS ENEMY ONE WAY OR ANOTHER!

I FOUND THE AVENUE OF MY RE- VENCE

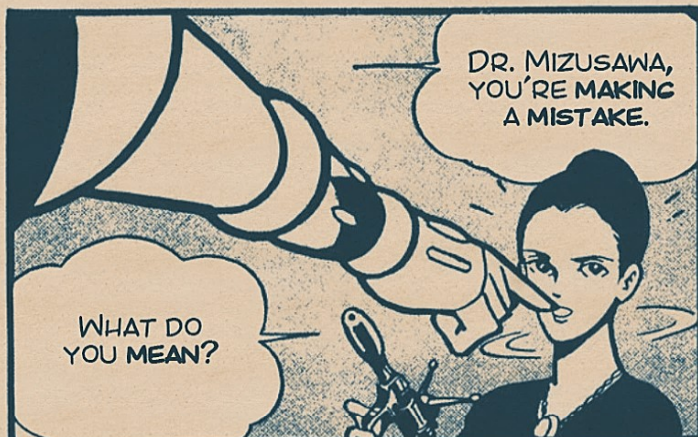


8-MAN, THESE TEARS ARE TEARS OF JOY.



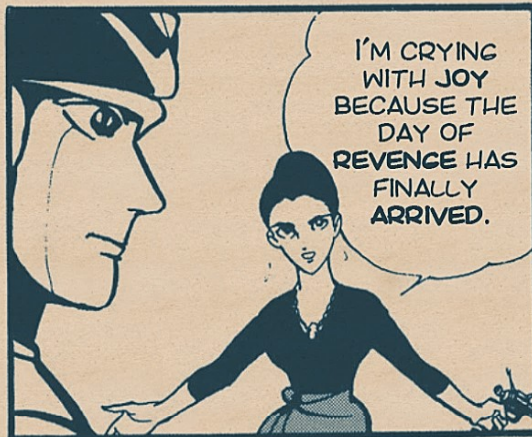
THAT EVIL CREATURE THAT I HAVE NOT FORGOTTEN FOR TEN YEARS!

KNOWING ABOUT THIS LASER, MUELLER WILL COME AROUND.

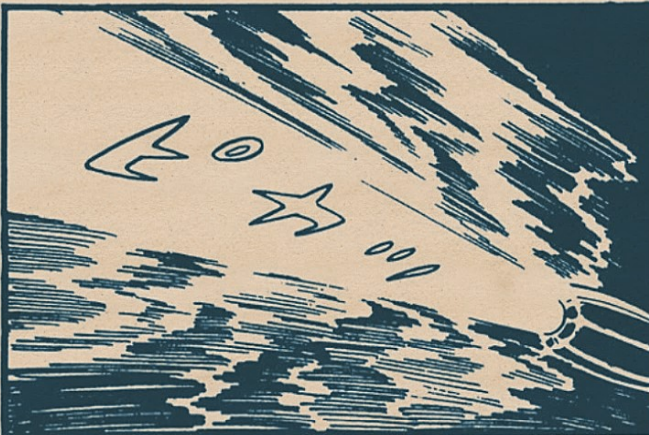
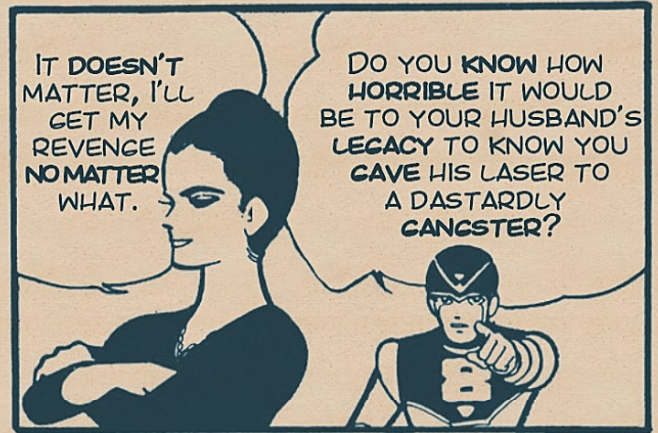


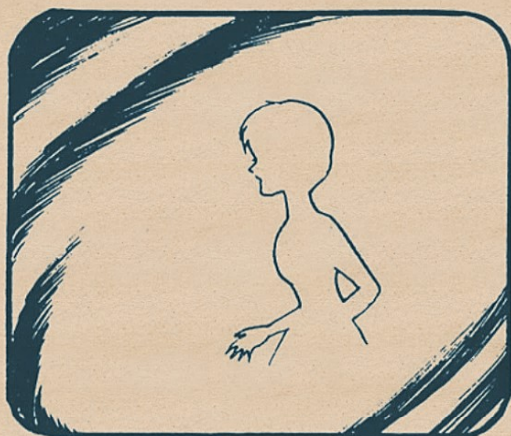
DR. MIZUSAWA, YOU'RE MAKING A MISTAKE.

WHAT DO YOU MEAN?

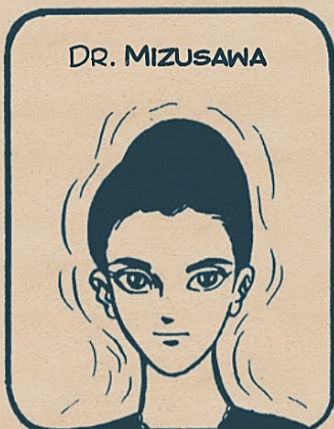


I'M CRYING WITH JOY BECAUSE THE DAY OF REVENGE HAS FINALLY ARRIVED.





DR. MIZUSAWA



AH,
SACHIKO'S
FACE.



SO WHERE IN THE
WORLD IS THIS PLACE?
IT LOOKS LIKE A
WAREHOUSE

SACHIKO,
I WILL FIGHT
ON NO
MATTER
THE
DANGER.



IT WAS
A DREAM.



FIRST, I
NEED TO
COOL DOWN
SOME.



MY BODY IS STILL HOT
AS A FLAME... BUT WHY
DID DR. MIZUSAWA
DELIBERATELY DIVERT
THE LASER'S AIM?



AND I'M SURE
KITO IS UP TO
SOMETHING NEW
AND EVIL EVEN
AS I SPEAK.

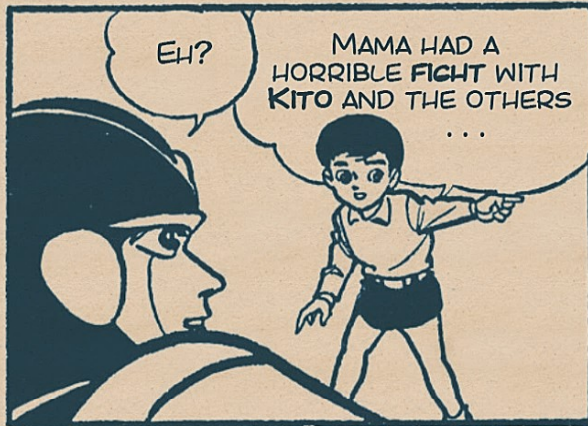
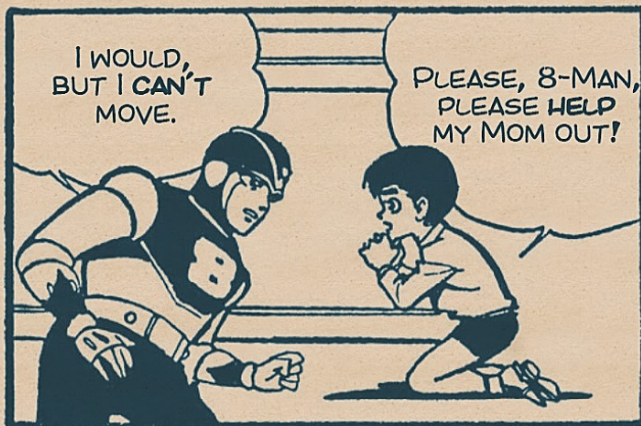
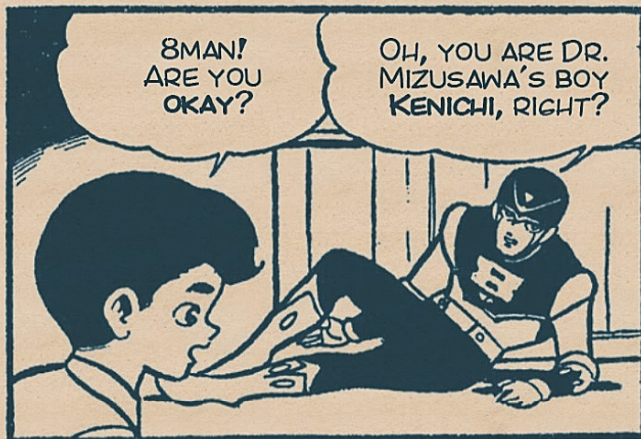
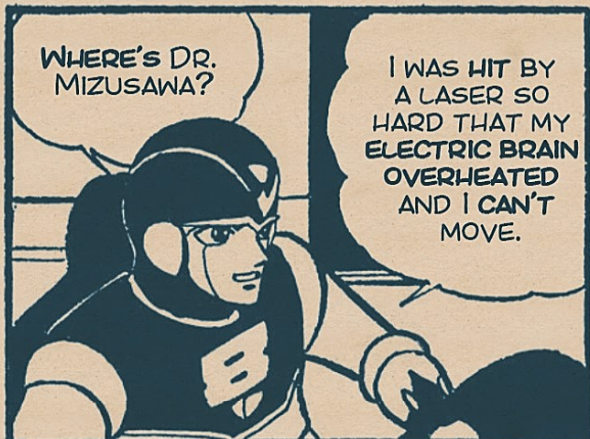
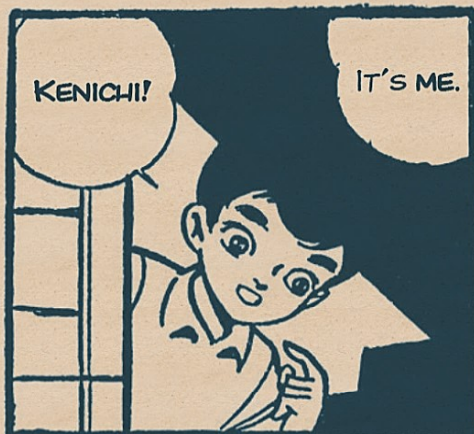


NO, I'M STILL NOT
COOLING DOWN. I CAN'T
MOVE LIKE THIS.

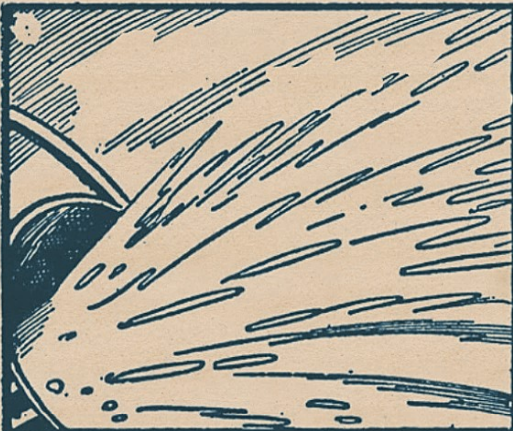
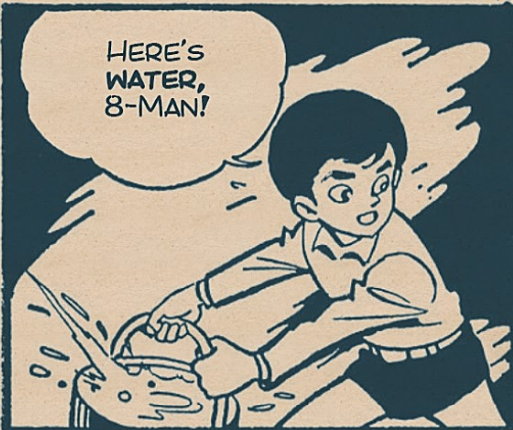


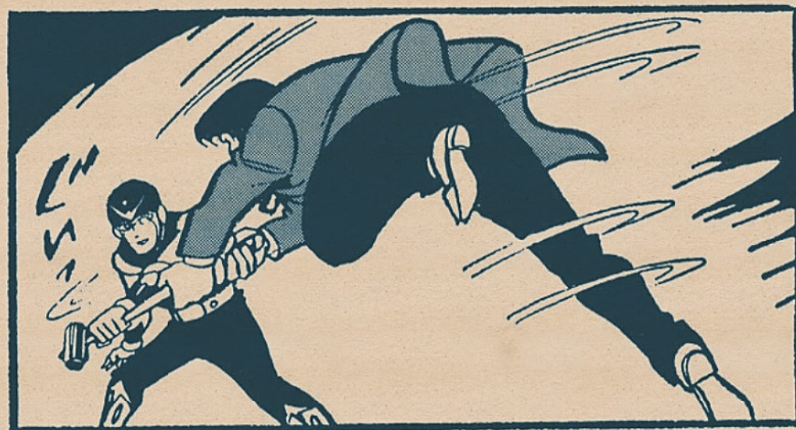
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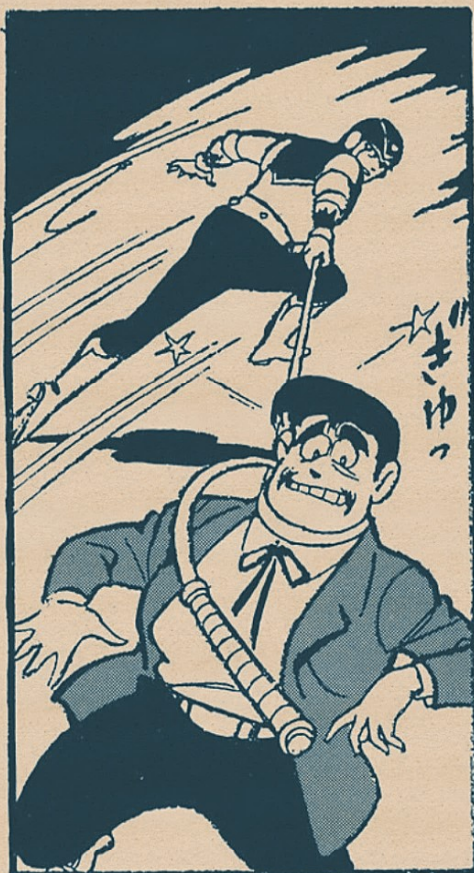
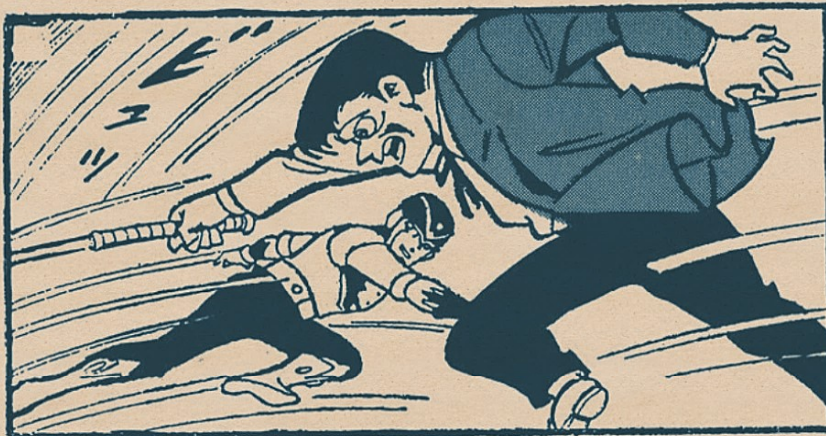


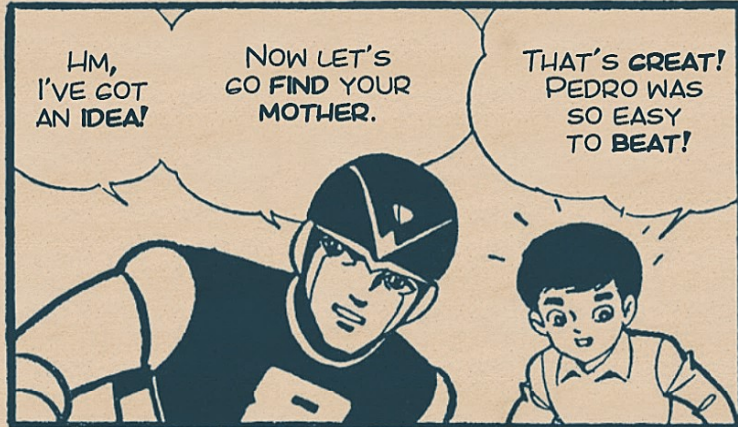
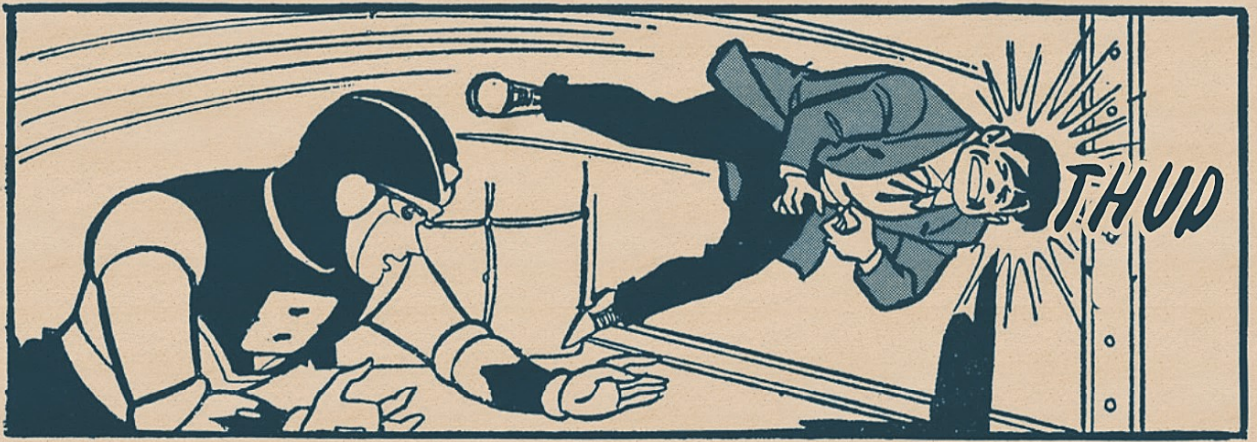


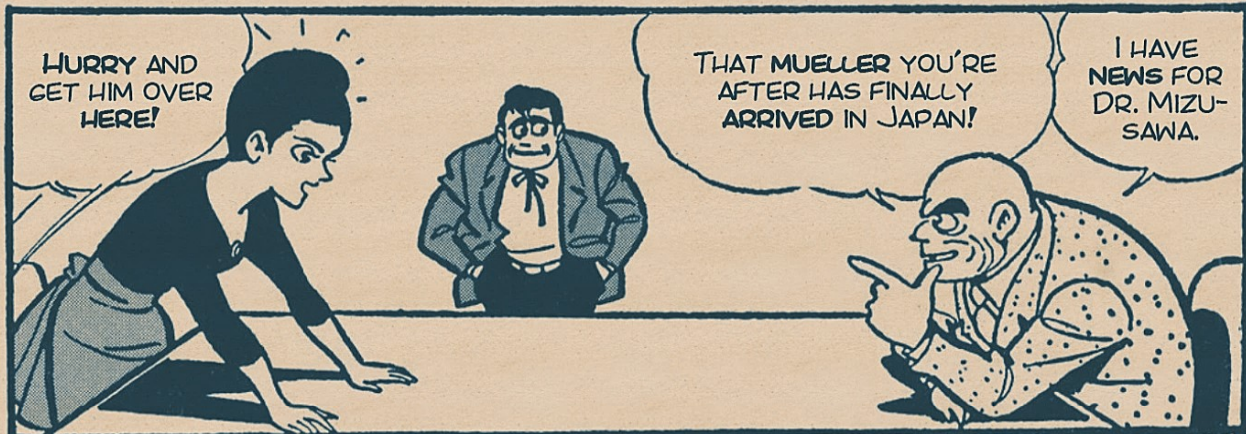






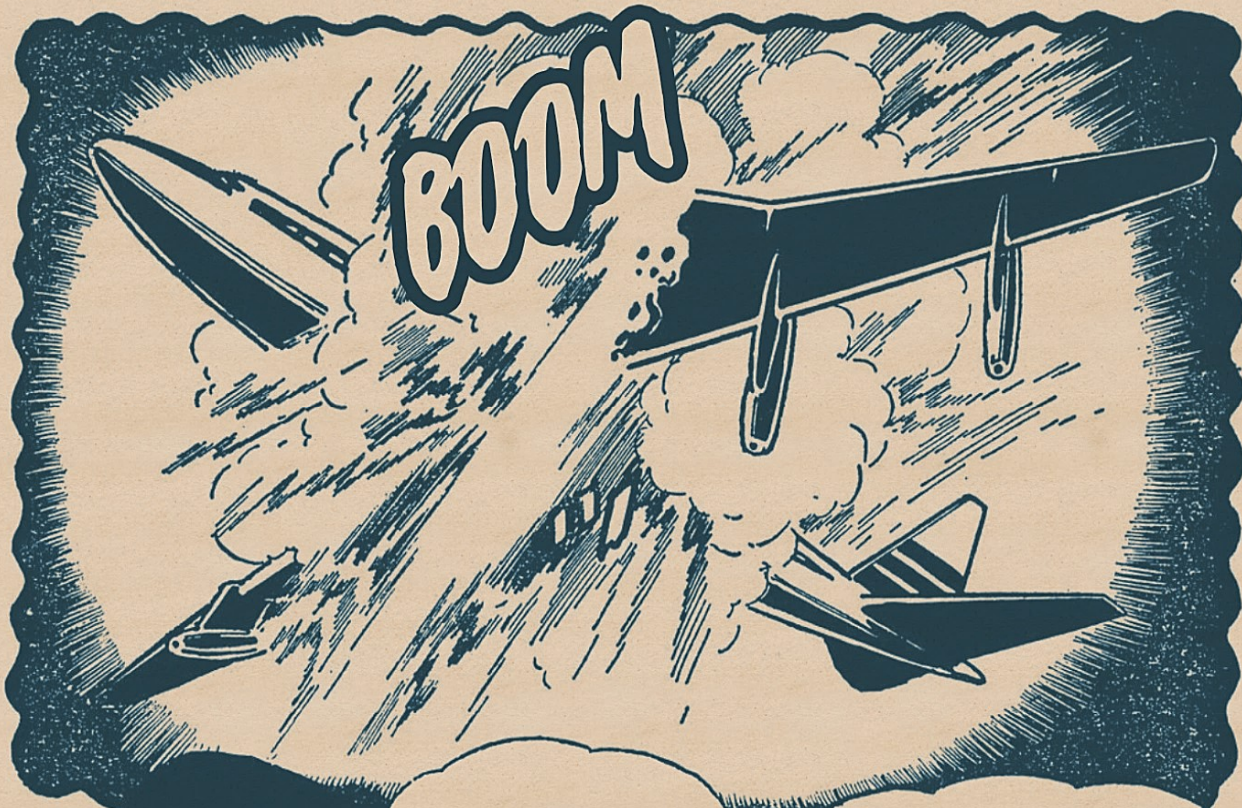








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AIRPORT!

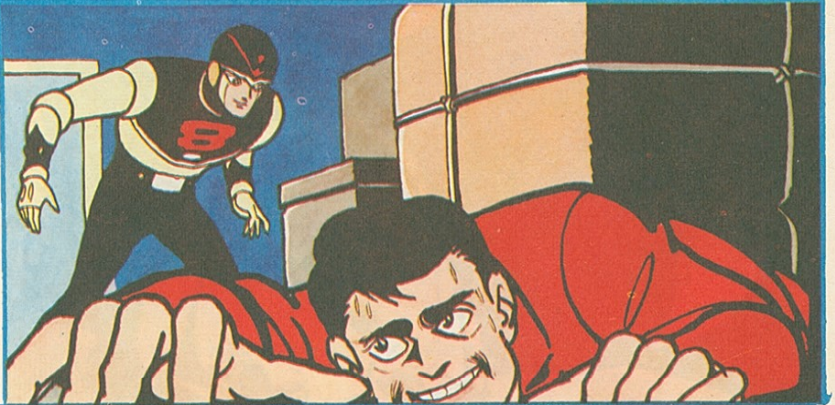


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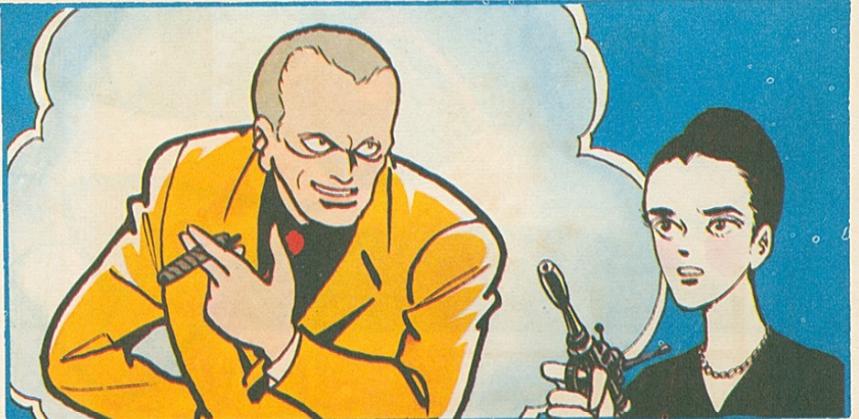
DR. MIZUSAWA, A FEMALE SCIENTIST, APPEARS BEFORE THE GANGSTER KITO, WHO HAS THREE KILLERS UNDER HIS COMMAND. SHE GAVE HIM A LASER GUN, A TERRIFYING MURDER WEAPON OF HER OWN INVENTION. "I WILL GIVE THIS TO YOU. IN EXCHANGE, YOU WILL HELP ME TO KILL MUELLER, THE MAN WHO MURDERED MY HUSBAND." USING THE LASER GUN, KITO COMMITTED ONE EVIL ACT AFTER ANOTHER, CAUSING THE POPULATION TO TREMBLE WITH FEAR.



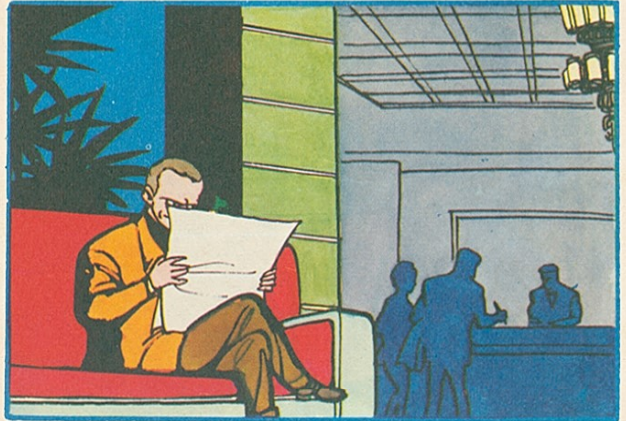
8-MAN, IN AN ATTEMPT TO STOP DR. MIZUSAWA FROM DOING HER EVIL DEEDS AND STOP HER FROM FROM BECOMING A BAD PERSON, WENT INTO KITO'S HIDEOUT, AND CHANGED HIS APPEARANCE TO THAT OF PEDRO, ONE OF THE KILLERS, AND WAITED FOR KITO TO COME OUT.



DR. MIZUSAWA'S CHANCE TO STRIKE HAS FINALLY ARRIVED. THREE FOREIGN SPIES COME TO JAPAN AFTER LEARNING ABOUT THE POWER OF THE LASER GUN. AMONG THEM IS MUELLER, WHOM DR. MIZUSAWA WANTS HER REVENGE.



KOKURA HOTEL

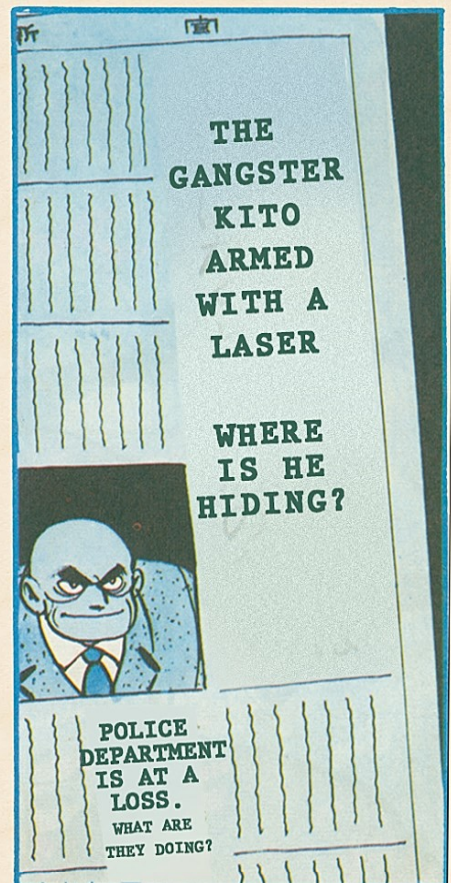


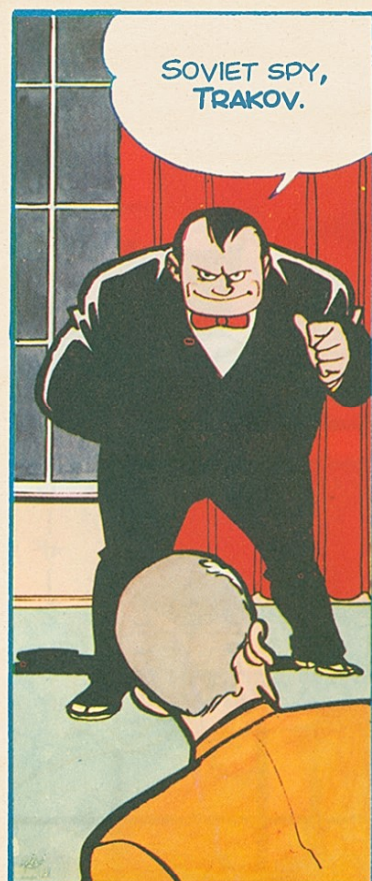
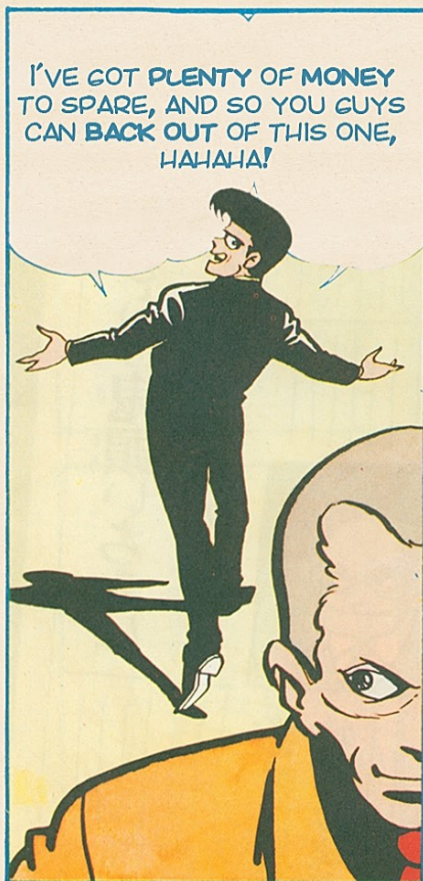
THIS TIME, I,
MUELLER WILL
GET IT FOR SURE!

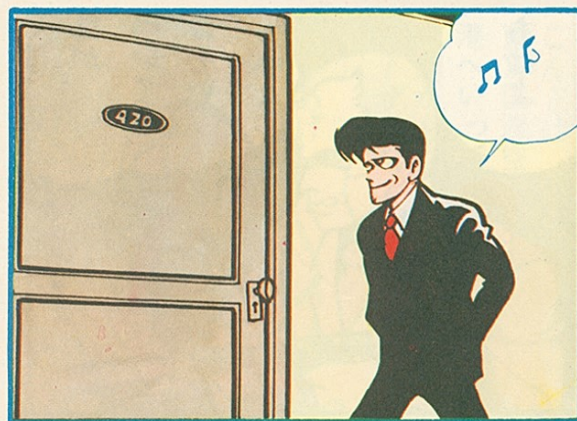
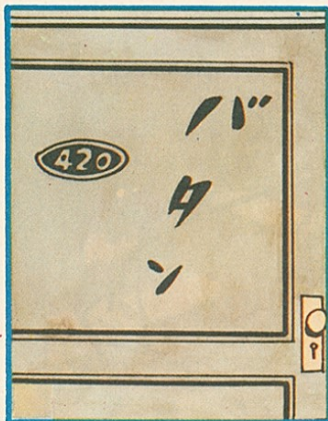
LASERS EH?
A DECADE
AGO, IT WAS
A DEAD END.



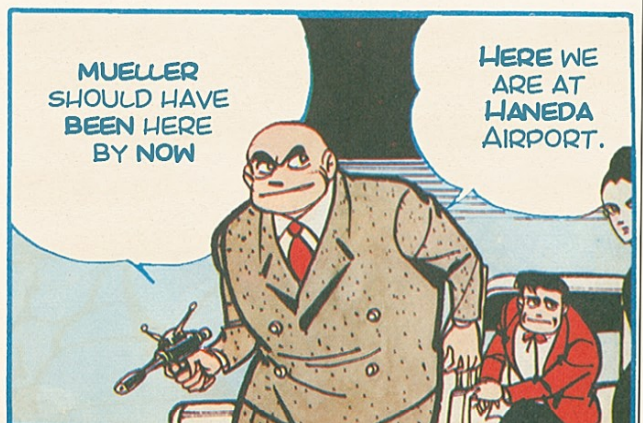
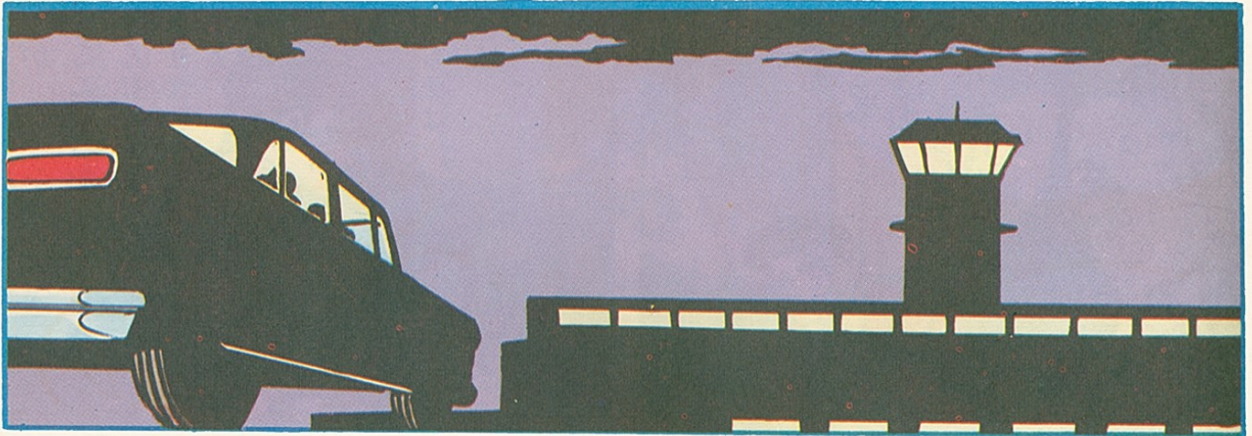
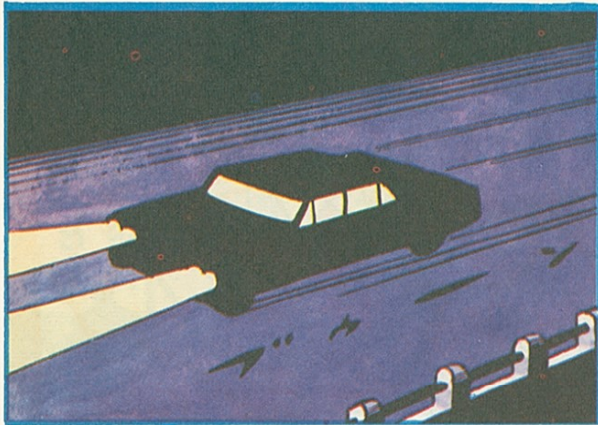
I'VE BEEN HUNTING FOR
A LASER FOR TEN YEARS,
AND I DON'T KNOW WHERE KITO
GOT THE LASER, BUT
IT'S MINE NOW.

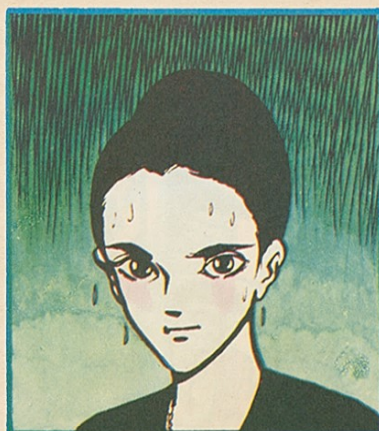
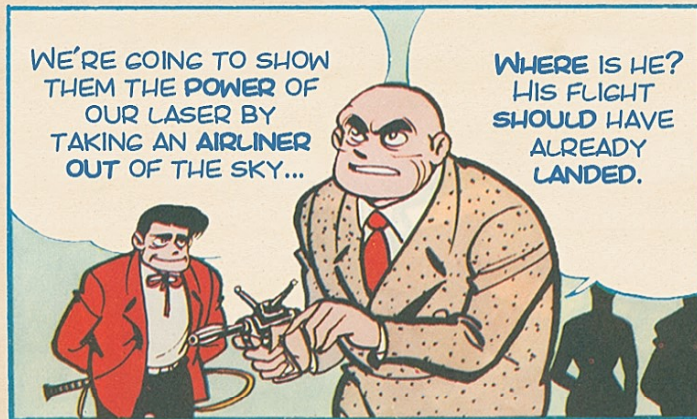




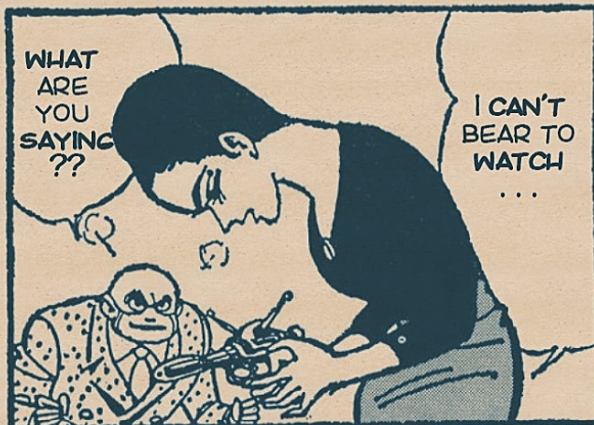
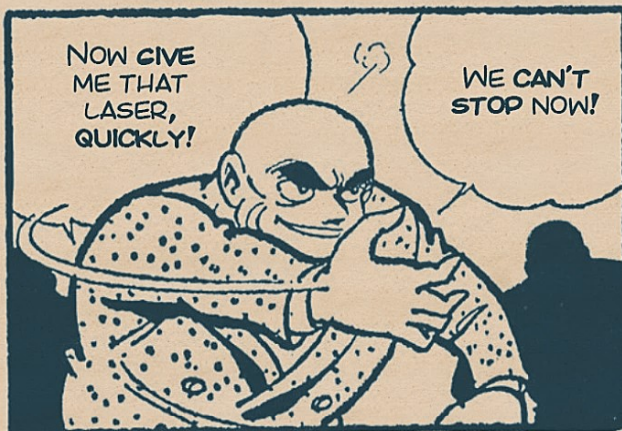
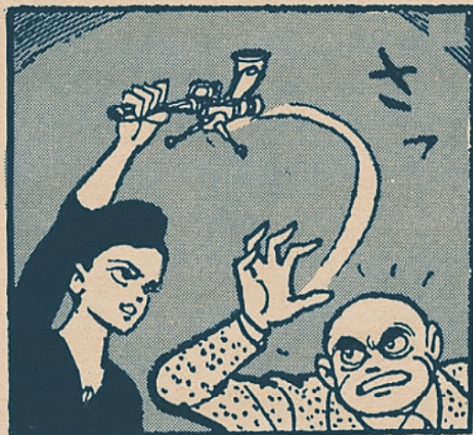


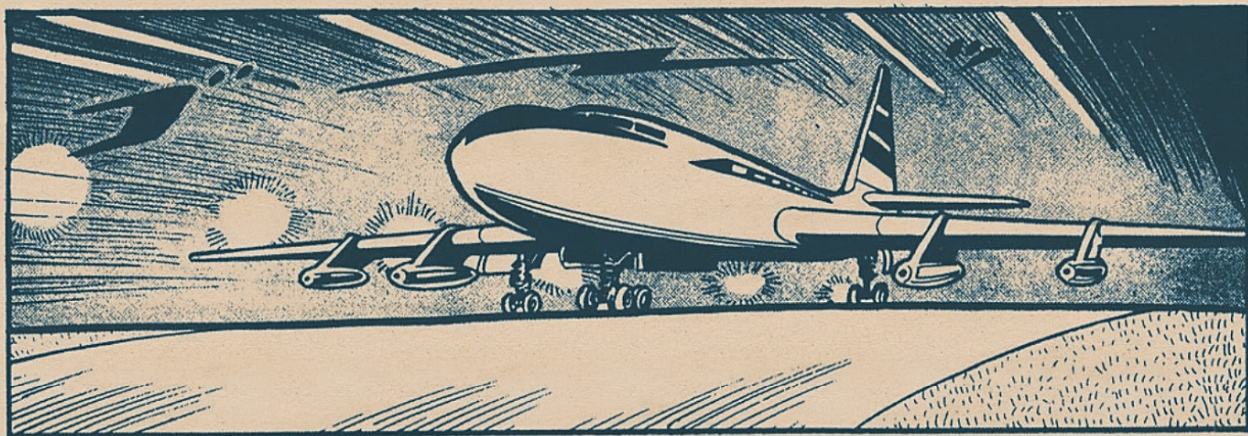




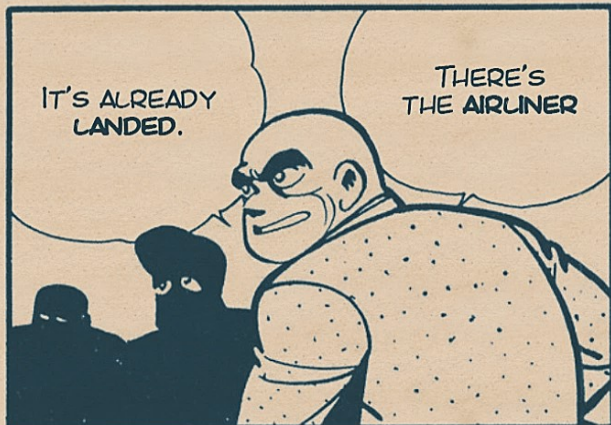






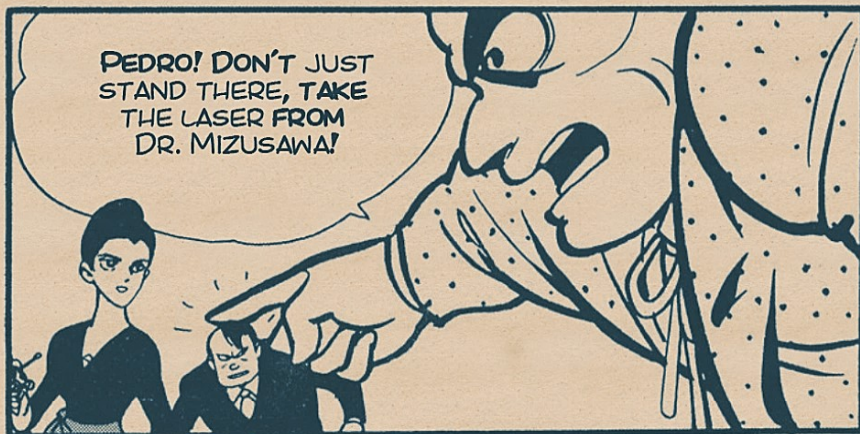


DR. MIZUSAWA!
I KNEW YOU
AREN'T A BAD
PERSON!

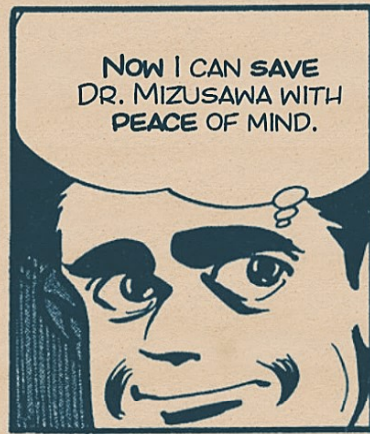


IT'S ALREADY
LANDED.

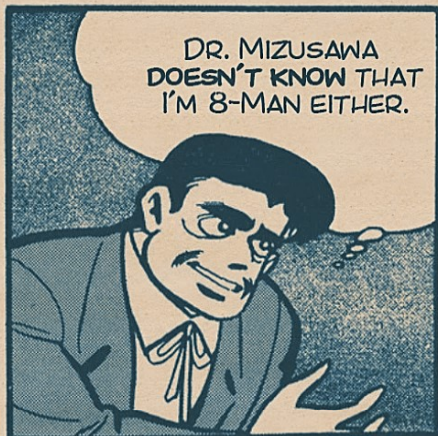
THERE'S
THE AIRLINER



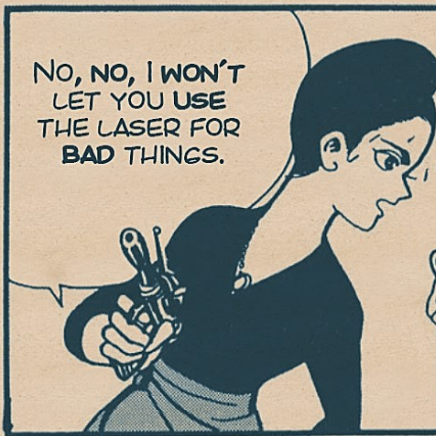
PEDRO! DON'T JUST
STAND THERE, TAKE
THE LASER FROM
DR. MIZUSAWA!



NOW I CAN SAVE
DR. MIZUSAWA WITH
PEACE OF MIND.



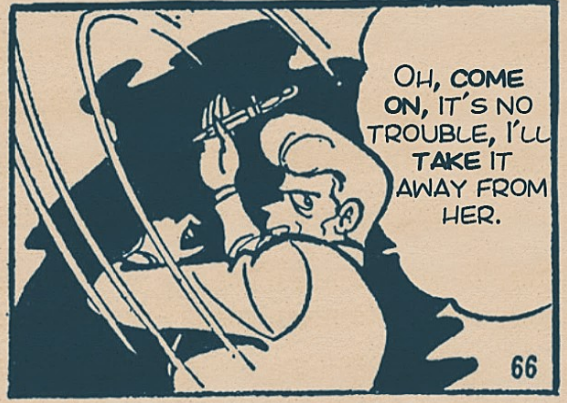
DR. MIZUSAWA
DOESN'T KNOW THAT
I'M 8-MAN EITHER.



NO, NO, I WON'T
LET YOU USE
THE LASER FOR
BAD THINGS.

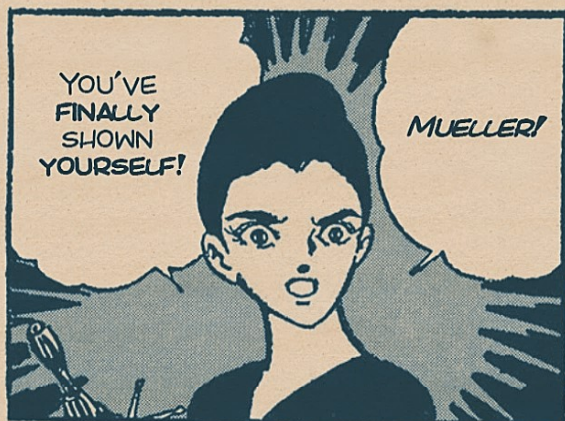


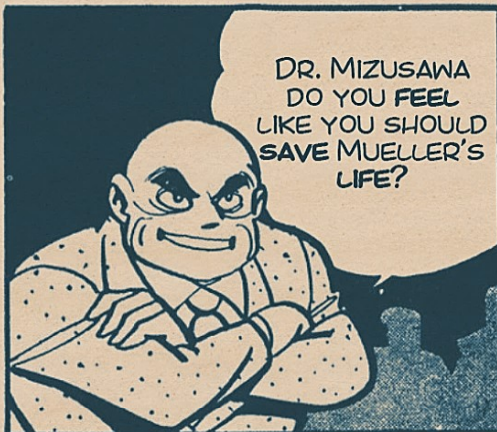
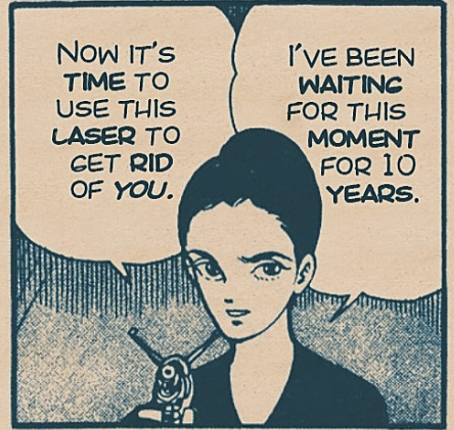
DR. MIZUSAWA!
LET'S GET THAT
LASER OVER
HERE!

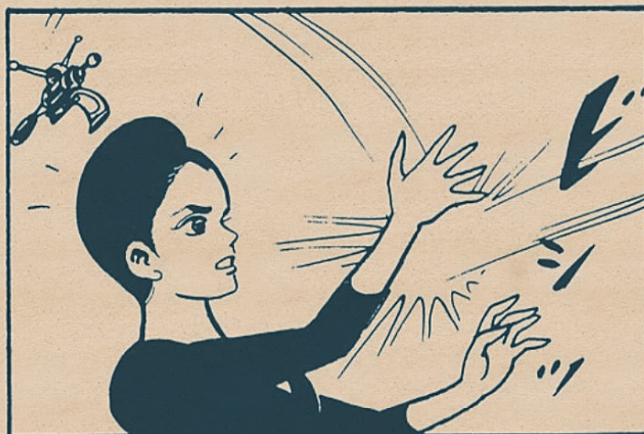
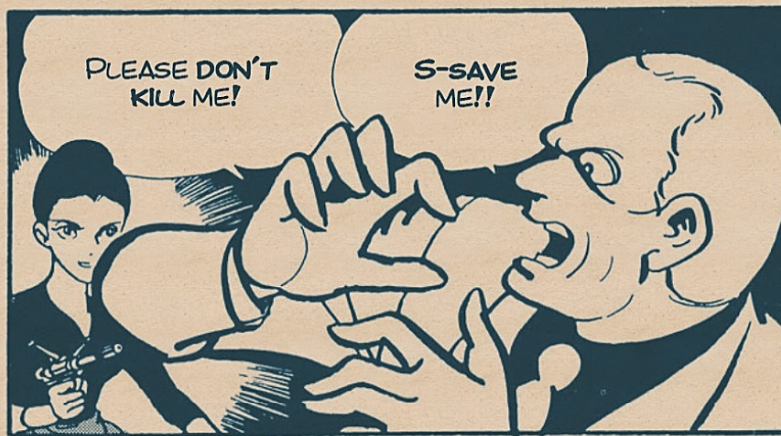
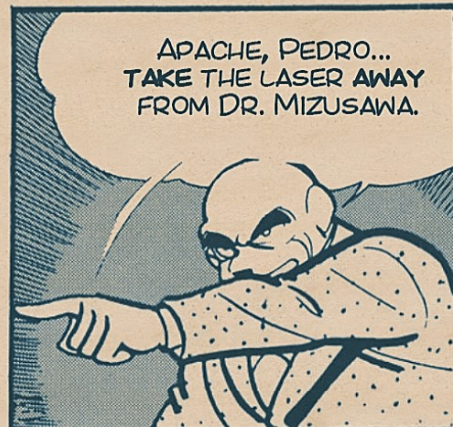
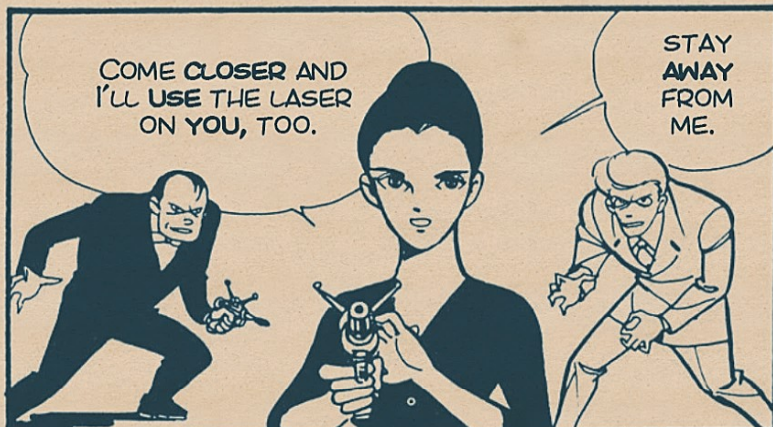


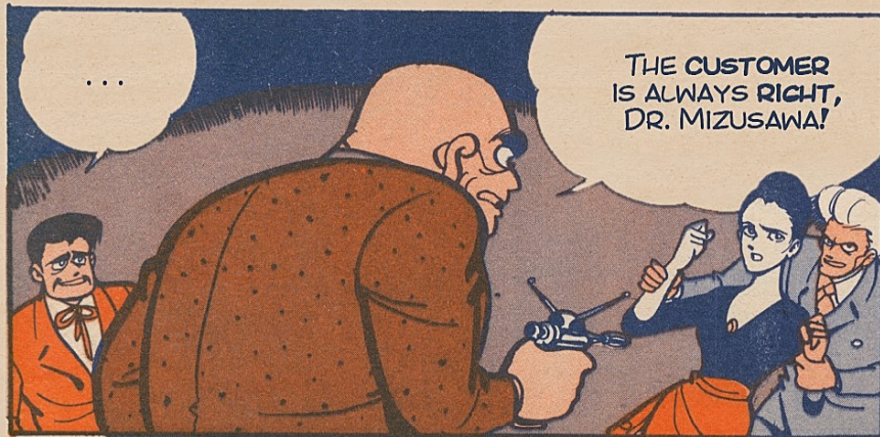
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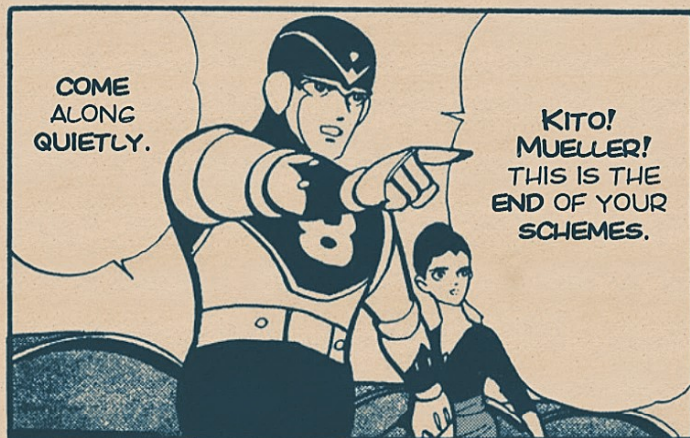
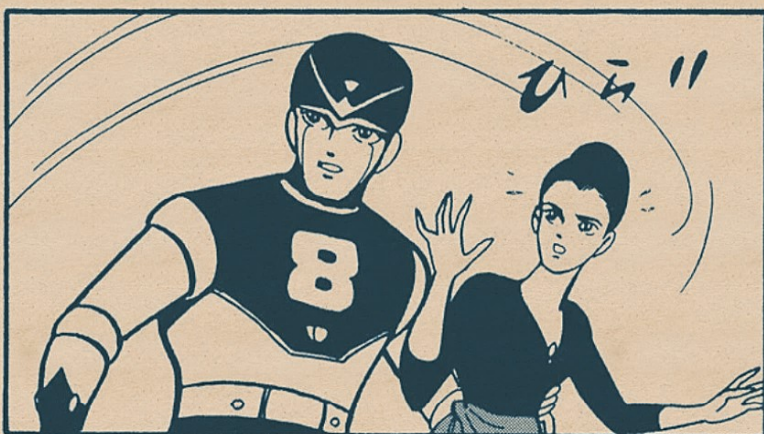
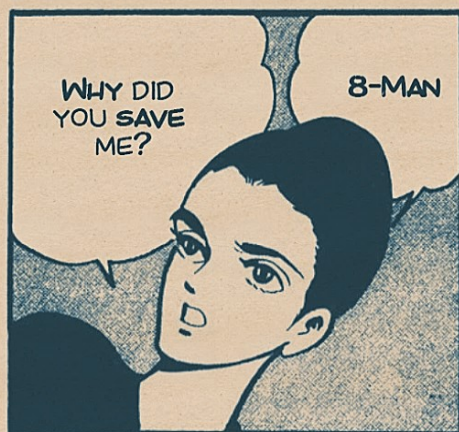
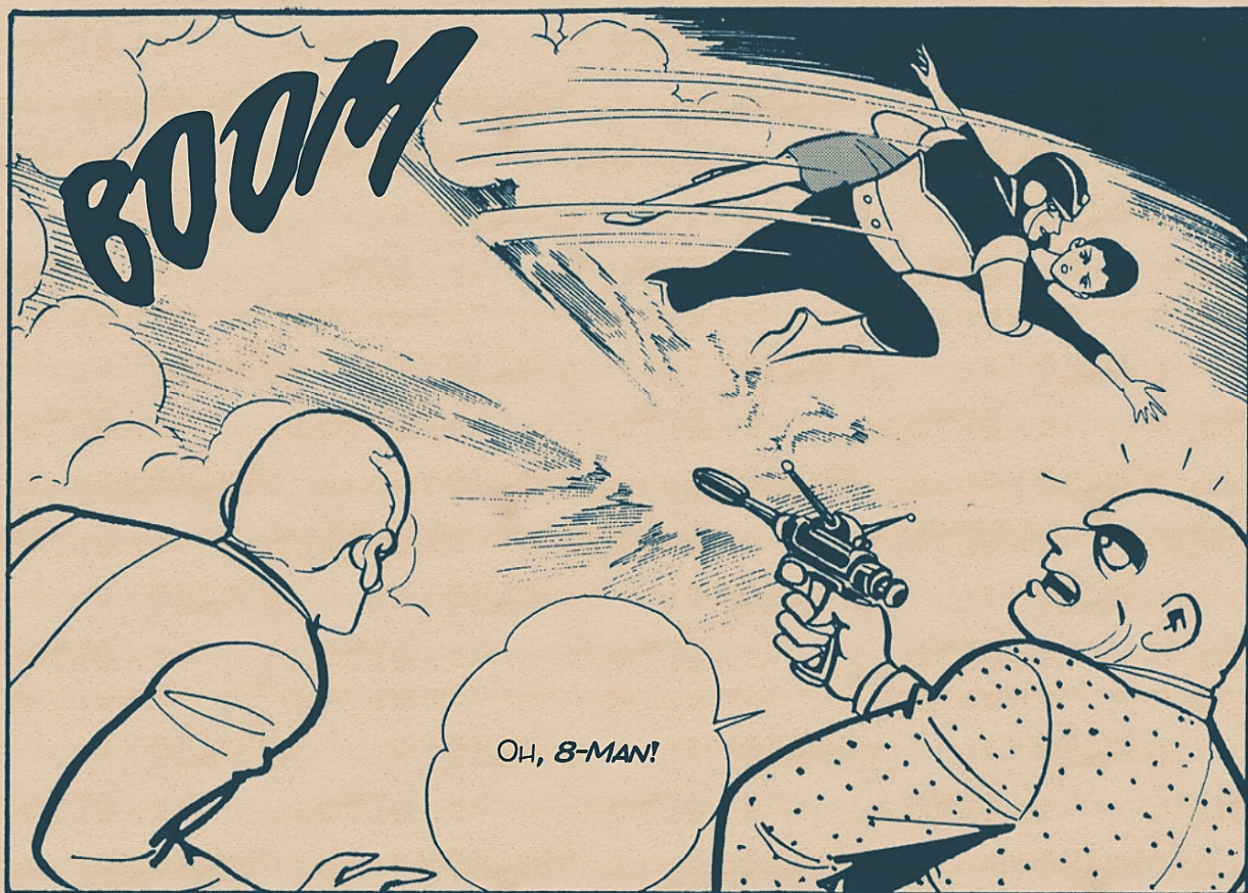


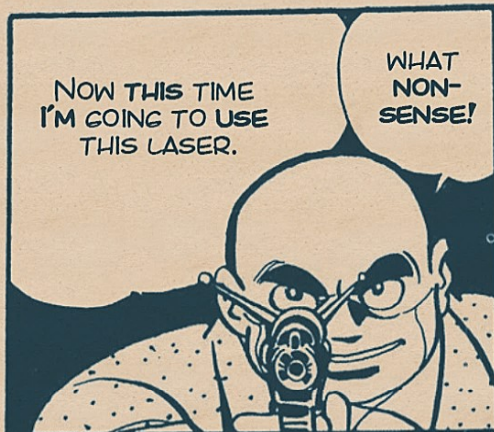
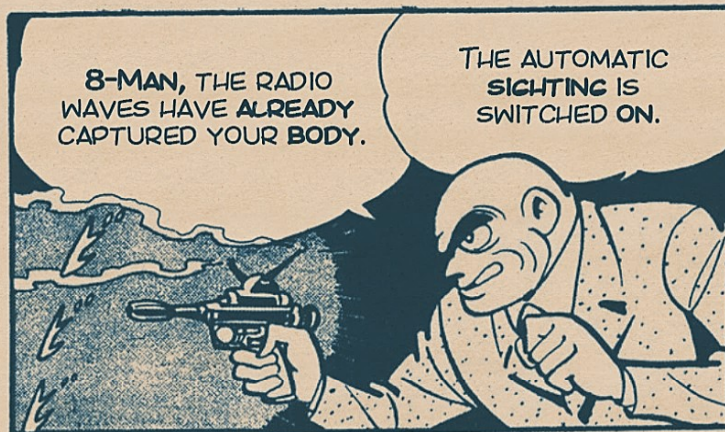


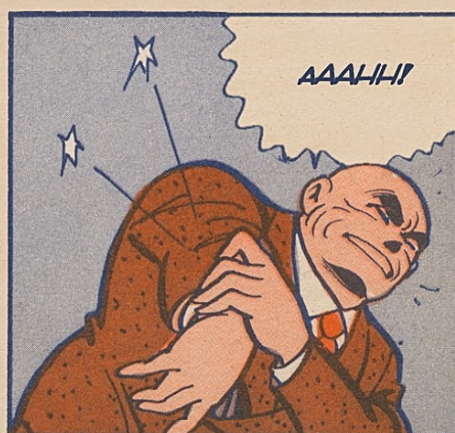
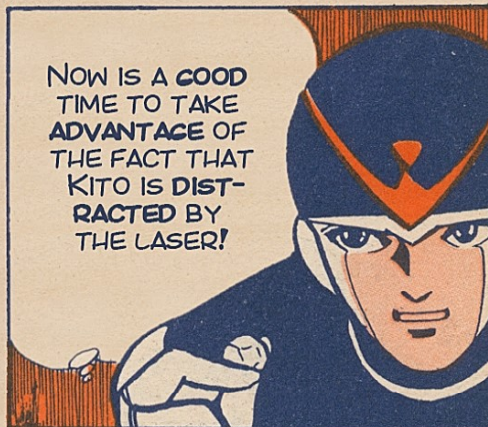


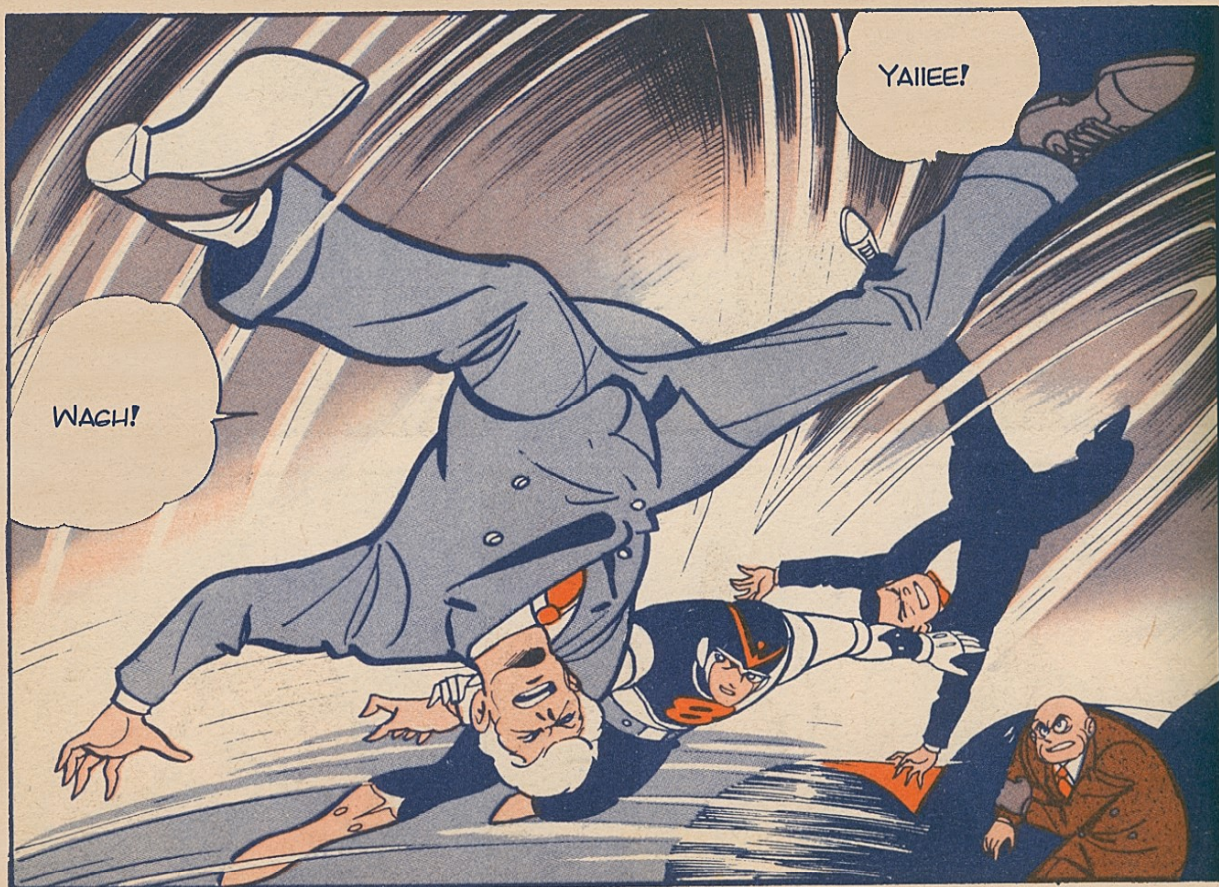
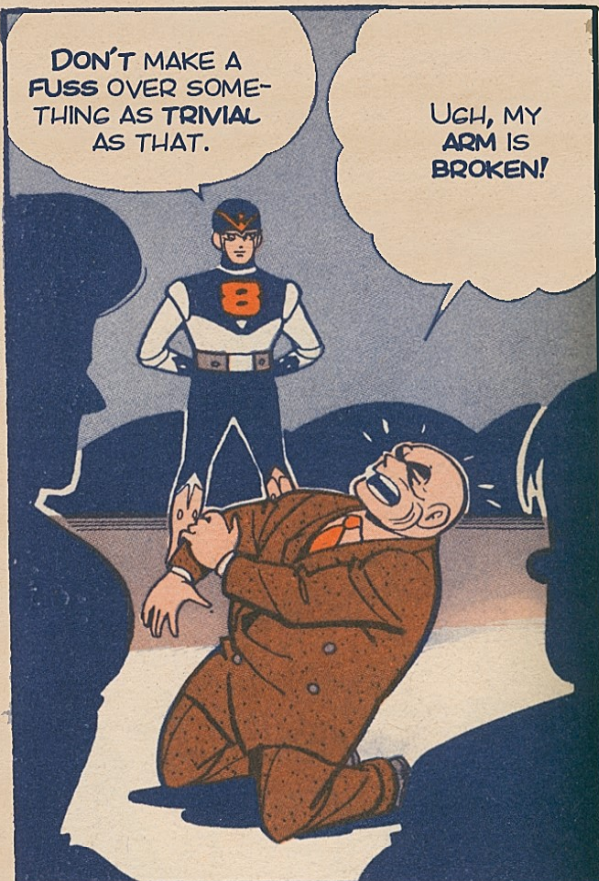


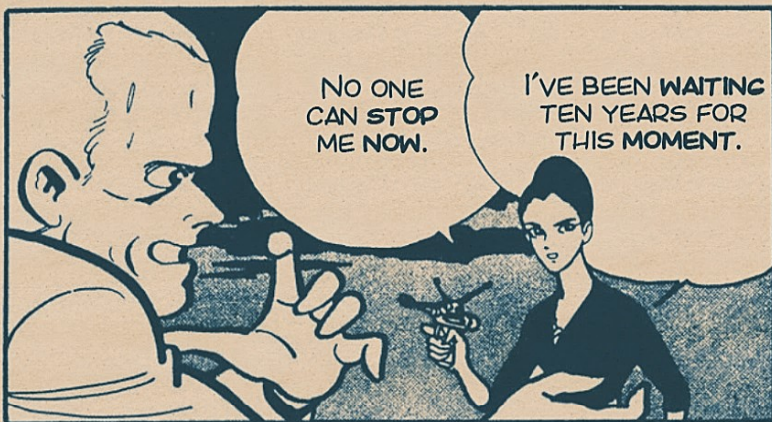
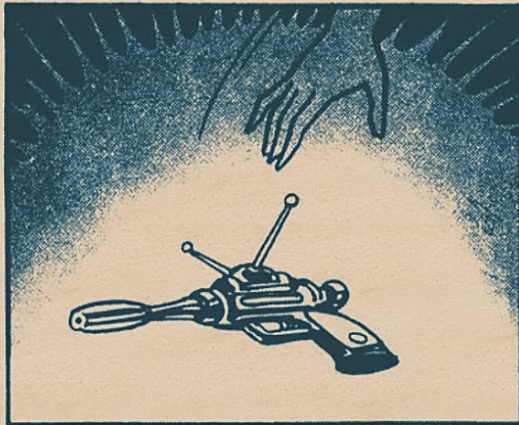
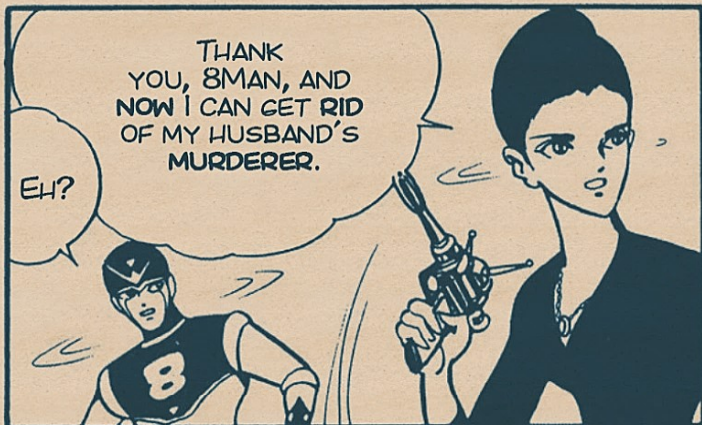




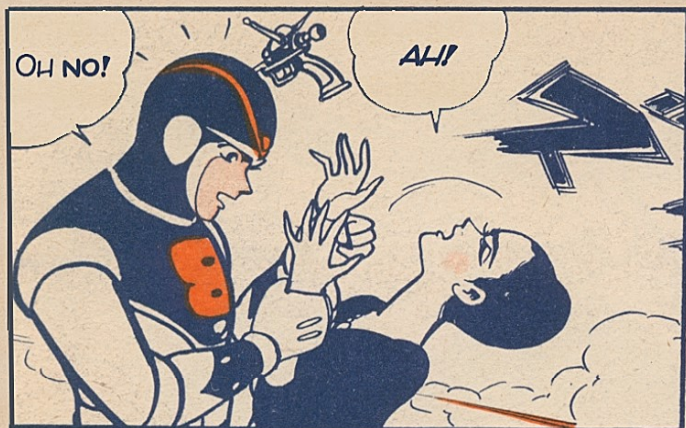


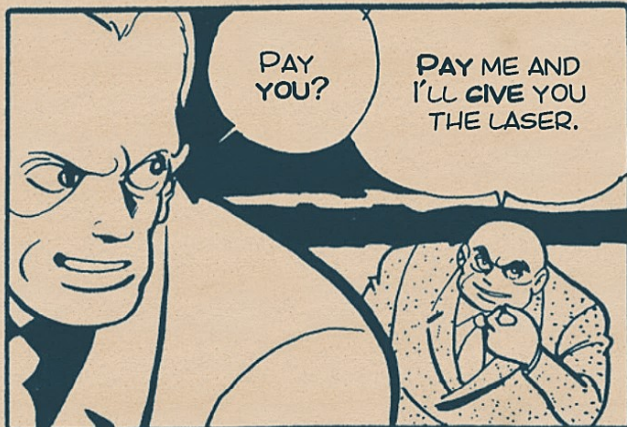
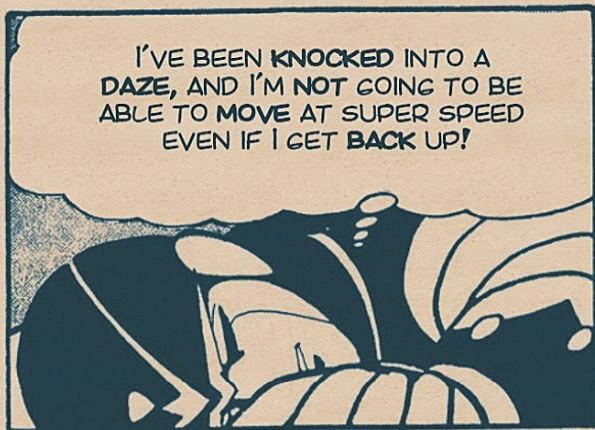


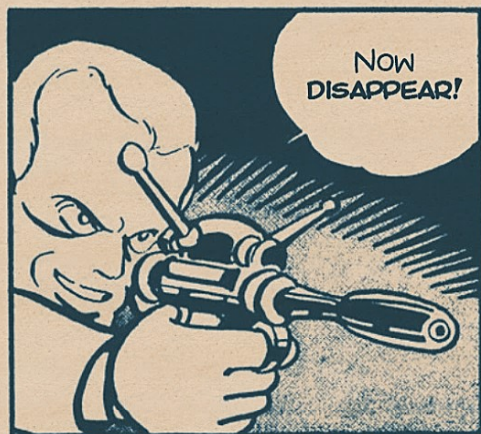
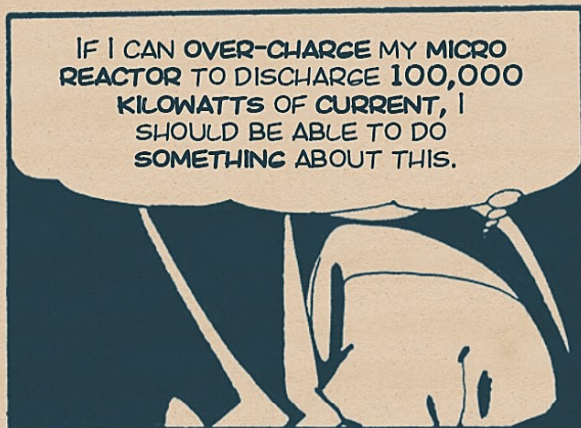
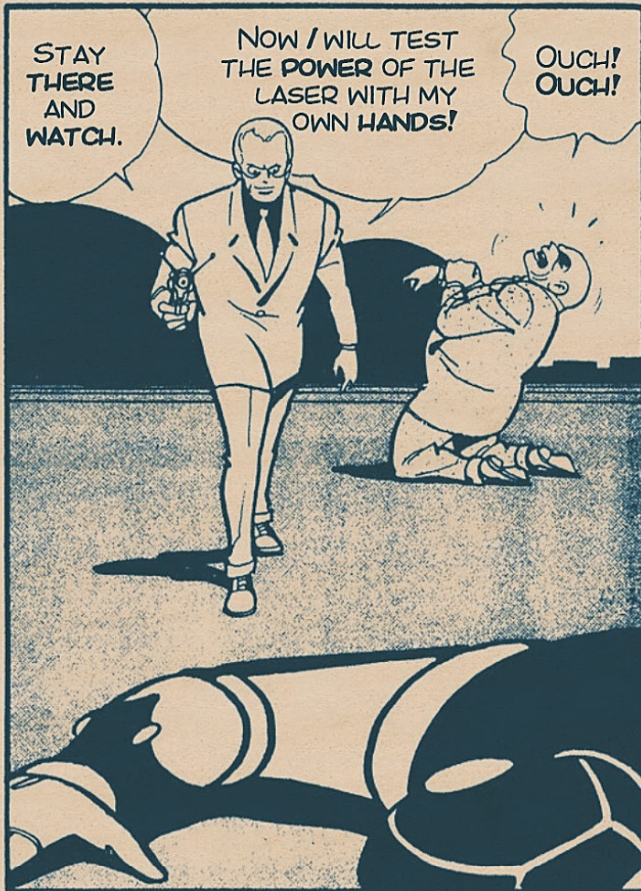
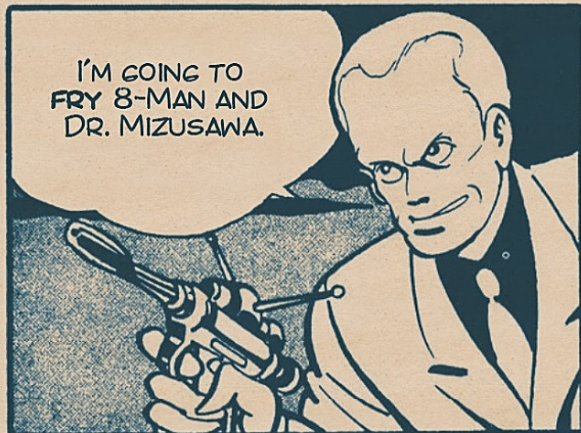






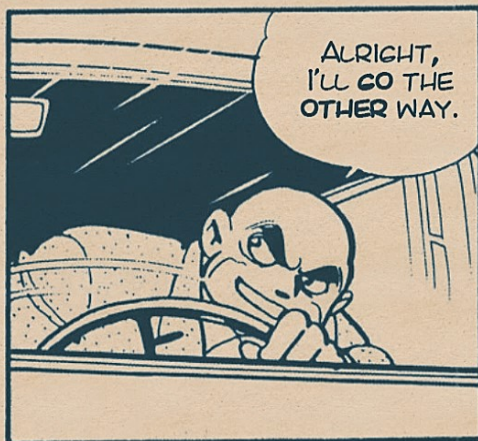
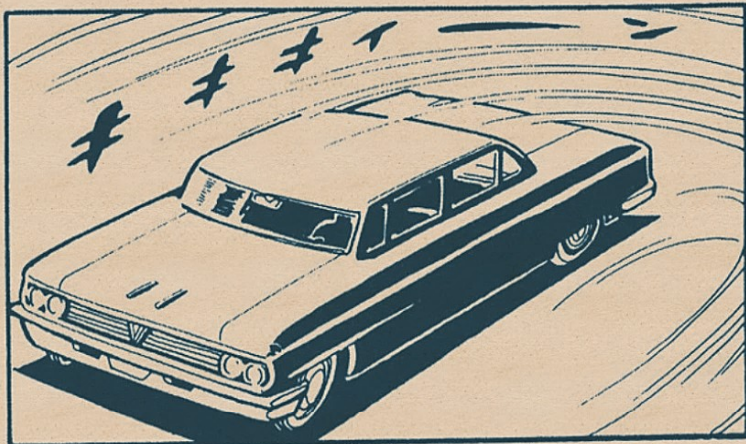
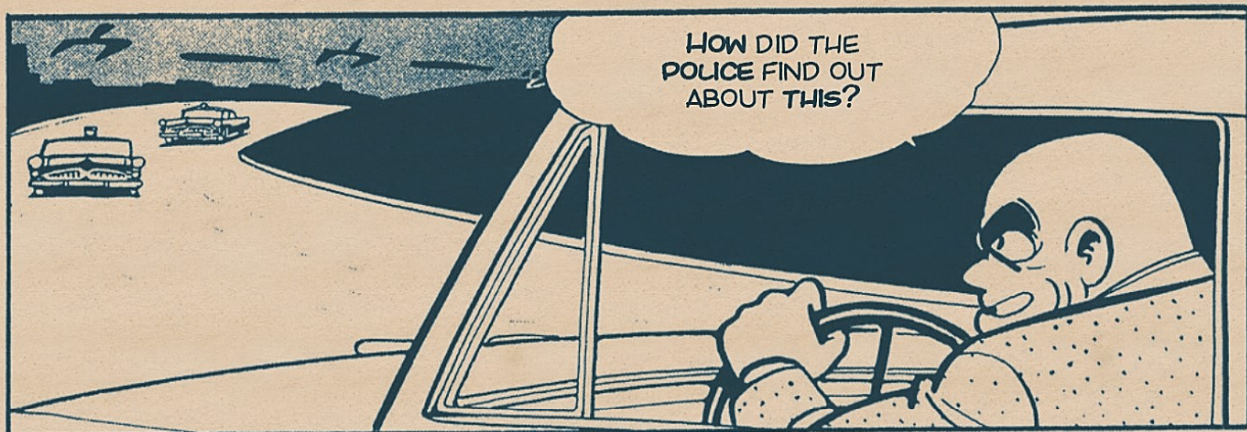
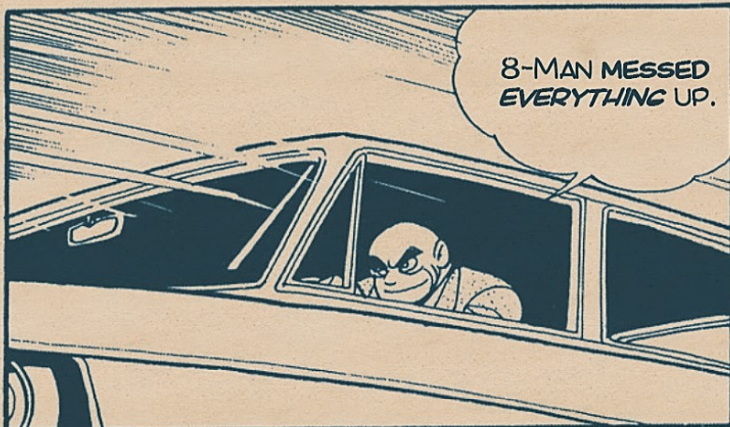
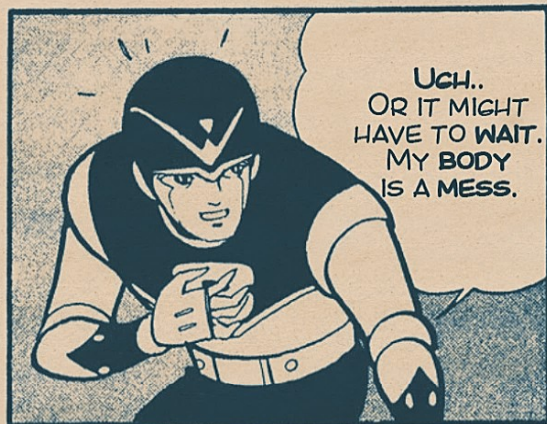


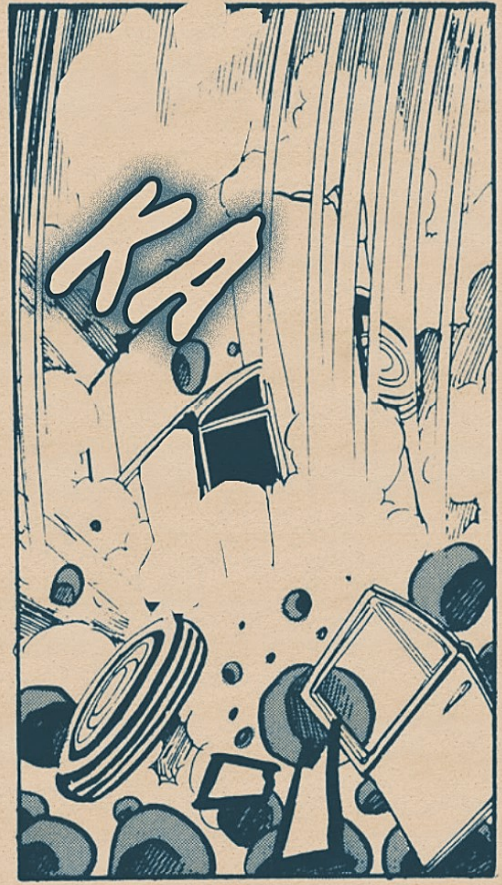
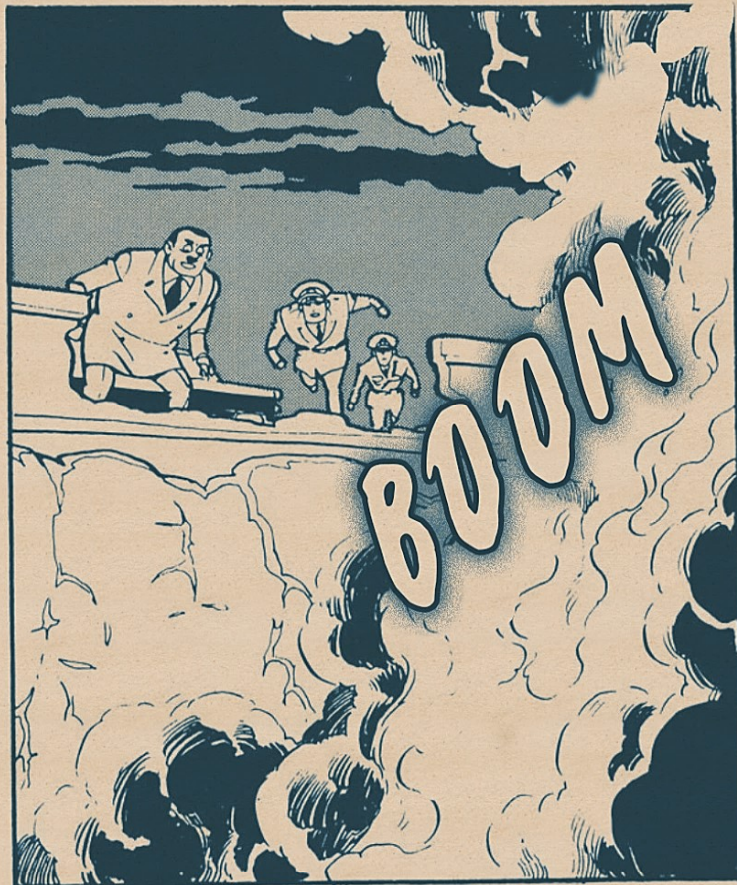
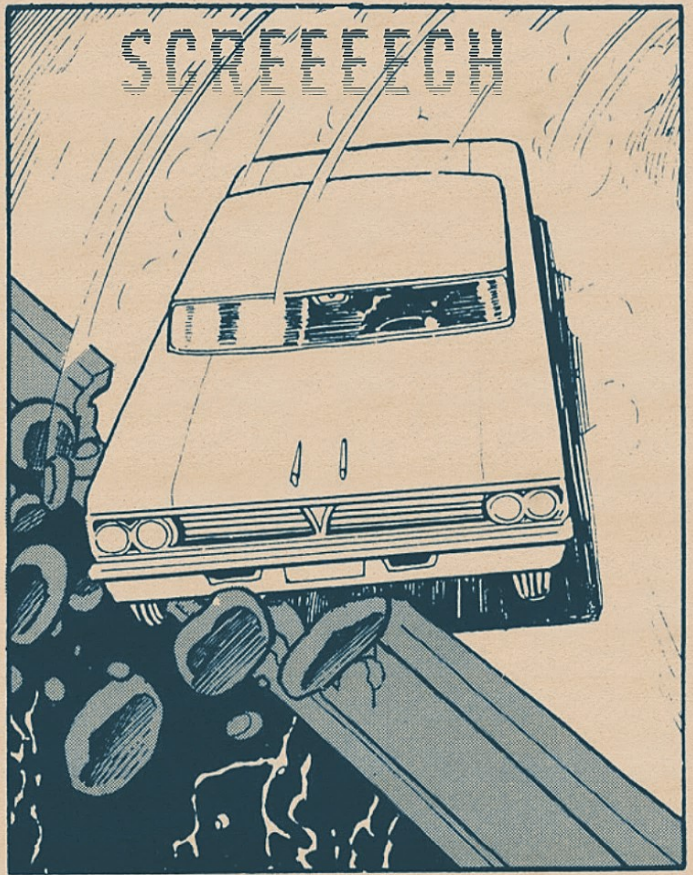
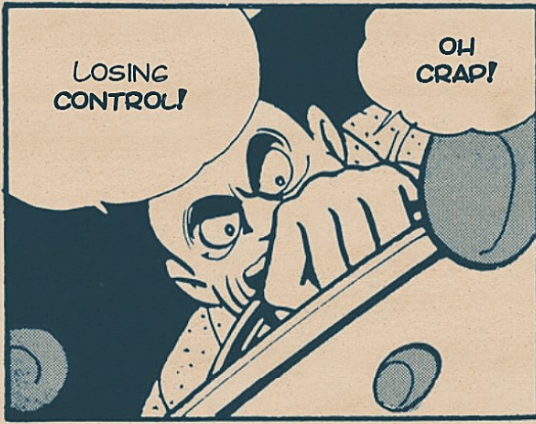


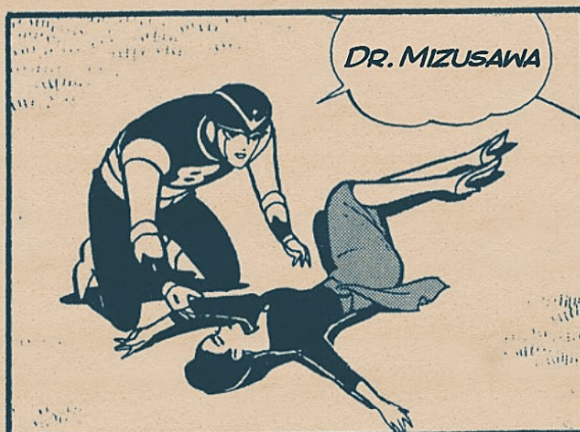
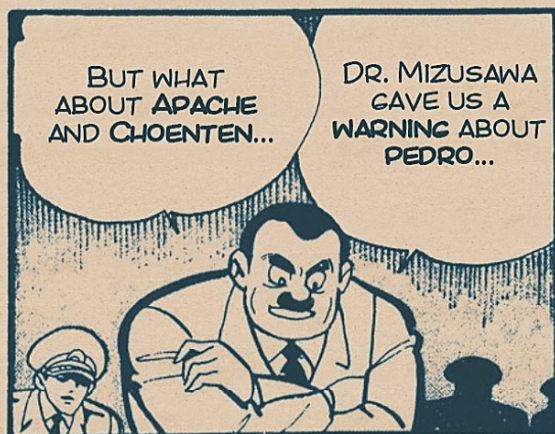












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